

SENATE BOOSTS ARMY TO 175,000 MEN

GOVERNOR'S STATE CODE IS A RIDDLE

State Department Arrangement Likened Unto "the Run of the Cards"

PLOT COMING OUT

Denial of Jury Trial Is Temed "Justice Poisoned at Source"

(BY MARCUS)

COLUMBUS — (Special) — Here in the directions under which Governor Harry L. Davis, his Illinois expert George E. Frazier and legislative conference evolved the so-called administrative code under which the existing state offices are to be rippled up so that a big state machine can be created personally subservient to the Executive: Let each card of a deck of poker cards represent a department and let nine hands be dealt out after, of course, the deck has been shuffled and cut. Let the cards fall where they will and bingo! you have the long awaited reorganization plan. It may happen, as it did, that censorship of motion pictures falls with the medical registration and that the oil department falls with the banking department and a few minor propositions of this kind. But what of that? No one can tell what's in a hand until it is picked up and probably if Solomon had lived in modern times and was getting up a list of things "too wonderful for me," he would have added "the run of cards." No one can account for it. And no one can account for the proposed arrangement of departments.

To assume that the thing lacked design entirely may be going too far, for oftentimes there are deep laid plans behind the deal in a card game, many of the readers of these lines can testify. In actual reorganization there is little, because existing functions of government are but little changed. Things are mussed up with one purpose and only one, for the Governor has first call on every hand and only the taxpayers can lose. What the real authors of the plan think of it is to be guessed from the plot laid to avoid the judgment of the people upon the law. Until the bill is actually presented, it is uncertain whether or not there will be an emergency clause to obstruct a referendum. In recent days the referendum-killers have been few, the reason, as waited through legislature halls, being that there was to be use for them on the big stuff, which means, of course, for getting the jobs.

To tell what the business and professional element think of the plan would be to violate the statutes against profanity and no newspaper that printed such statements could hope to get thru the mail. Scattering of functions in some cases, mixing up of others has tended to convince persons who have to deal with state departments that there is need of a puzzle book to tell them what has become of the bureaus with which they formerly dealt. Gradually, there is being raised a most bitter feeling against the reorganization plan. Until its nature was appreciated the general sentiment of economy and of reduction in the number of departments was well received. On a popular vote, there could not be secured 30 per cent of the vote and one now knows this better than those taking the measure. It has almost been generally dubbed the "legislative reorganization ripper," or the "patronage purloiner." It members of the General Assembly were not afraid they will not be allowed to share in the carrying of patronage, there could not be secured one half of the votes for the job.

"Why can't a Governor just govern?" was the comment of a leading member of the party of the Executive when he heard of the terms of the bill. "It is just a plan for the creation of a big machine and nothing else," he added. This man who knew business asked what is to be done of a business organization if it is to be ripped up from first to last every few months. He opined he knew of no business that could survive such a shock. With him many business men agreed that what is bad is bad politics and only a small amount of that American qual-ity known as "sand" is needed to make the thing look as dead as old Samson, hanging there on his gallows, as told in the Biblical story.

One set of interests cursing per-
manently loud are the fellows who

MINISTER, ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE, BACK IN PULPIT TODAY

SANDWICH, Ont. — The Little Methodist church here is expected to have a record attendance at Sunday's services. Every member of the congregation and many "outsiders" are going to attend.

The pastor of the church, Rev. J. O. L. Spracklin, now a widely known figure, is going to preach.

He was acquitted of a murder charge Thursday and has not been in his pulpit except to make brief announcements on one or two occasions since he was arrested on the murder charge over three months ago.

FAIR MEN ELECT M. L. MAYER

Lima Man President N. W. Ohio Short Ship Circuit.

MEETING HELD AT FINDLAY

Lima Stake Races Biggest in State of Ohio.

Fair representatives from Lima, Findlay, Toledo, Kenton, Bowling Green, Fremont and Bellefontaine met at Findlay Saturday to outline classes and make plans for the coming racing season in the Northwestern Ohio Short Ship Racing circuit. M. L. Mayer of Lima, was elected president and R. S. Sweet of Bowling Green, secretary.

According to President Mayer, Allen-co fair will stage the only race with a \$2,000 stake. The highest stake at the state fair is only \$1,500. Mayer says this large stake will draw the best racing blood from all parts of the country and insure the highest class racing at the fair here August 23-24-25-26.

LIMA STAKES BIGGEST

The races at Lima will include the Lima Business Men's 2:18 trot, the Lima Elks 2:12 trot; San Feliz and El Verso 2:14 trot; Lima Business Men's 2:17 pace; Allen-co Fair Boards' 2:20, three-year-old trot. Besides this there will be two year-old class race and a free-for-all pony race, open to all boys and girls in Allen-co. The races at the other fairs will be similar.

It was agreed by the representatives that entries should close Friday, April 1. The entry fee will be three per cent on installments; one per cent April first, one per cent May first and one per cent June first, or two per cent cash. Two horses may be named from the same stable on one payment and started; provided that entry fees are paid on both at the time of starting. There will be a five per cent deduction for money winners. The races are to be run under the American Trotting Association rules, three heat plan. The money will be divided, 50 per cent, 25 per cent, 15 per cent, and ten per cent.

LOCAL MEN AT MEETING

The representatives who attended the meeting at Findlay Saturday were, M. L. Mayer, Irvin Ridenour, Harry Botkins and G. D. Creman from Lima; G. R. Lewis and A. E. Dorsey from Findlay, R. S. Sweet and James Ordway from Bowling Green; Joe Gahagan from Toledo, H. J. Pfeiffer from Kenton, C. A. Hochendel from Fremont and Don A. Detrick from Bellefontaine.

TWO BOYS HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

One Suffers Broken Leg, Other Has Mashed Foot.

Albert, aged 11, and Eugene, aged 13, sons of Seymour White, colored, 930 W. High-st., were run over by an automobile driven by J. E. Porter, 37 Erie-ave., on W. North-st. near Baxter, at 10 o'clock last night. They were taken to St. Rita's hospital.

Albert's leg was broken above the knee and one of Eugene's feet was badly mashed. No indications of internal injuries had developed early this morning.

The two boys had been sent by their mother to Walters Bros. grocery, 939 W. Wayne-st., and were riding in their home-made coaster wagon when they shot in front of Porter's automobile. It is believed that the boys were watching another machine coming from the west and failed to notice the auto which hit them. Porter did not see them until they were directly in front of him and was unable to stop or turn aside. He picked up the injured lads and took them to the hospital.

Seymour White, the father, is the driver of a mail wagon and is employed by the Western Ohio.

FACTORY BURNED

BELLAIRE, O. — The fire Saturday almost destroyed the factory of the Roby Cigar Company, and an adjoining warehouse to the concern. The loss was estimated at \$100,000.

Cause of the blaze was a defective pipe, it was said. For a time the flames threatened the business district, but a shift in the wind permitted the firemen to get the fire under control.

WOULD 'FIRE' 30 PERCENT OF TEACHERS

Investigator Scores Allen-co School System In Advance Report

CONDENM TIMIDITY

Retardation, Truancy, Few Certificates—Favor Centralization

"Thirty per cent of Allen-co rural teachers should be 'fired' immediately," C. E. Oliver said Saturday in speaking of his report on the condition of Allen-co rural schools, which he expects to file this week with the state department of education.

Oliver was superintendent of schools at East Palestine and also editor of a newspaper there at the same time.

PRASE AND CENSURE

Oliver mixed praise with censure of the rural schools. "With few minor exceptions," he admitted, "the spirit of co-operation is very good."

Summing up the entire situation he said: "Education in this county is not as good as it should be."

Oliver professed his inability to reconcile this condition with the rich resources of Allen-co.

He says furthermore, that truancy is higher in Allen-co than in other counties visited by him so far this school season.

In commenting on the report to be made, he said that he did not come here to find fault and had no preconceived notions whatsoever.

Oliver spoke before the rural teachers Saturday at the Central High school building and went deeply in school conditions throughout the county as he has found them.

Excerpts of the report to be filed are included in paragraphs following:

The men teachers are outnumbered by the women, three to one, there being 48 males and 126 females teaching.

FEW CERTIFICATES

What certificates are held are very good. Few hold life certificates. Oliver deplores this condition of affairs.

In educational matters, 71 per cent of the teachers have four years high school training. Others have less, but every one at least one year.

As regards normal school training, 13 men and seven women have no evidence of such work. Nine men and 73 women possess one year of such training and four women at least two years. Of the total number of elementary teachers, 52 per cent have at least one year of this work.

No elementary teacher can show a college education, while eight men and four women of the high school teachers have college experience.

MAYOR IS CHEERED

When the Lord Mayor of Cork was presented the audience that packed the auditorium arose as one and cheered him for several minutes. The quiet, unassuming little Irishman, in whose face could be read all the sufferings of his race, evidenced a determination to impel Americans, champions of human freedom and liberty, see the things that he has seen and inspire them to aid in Ireland's cause.

For an hour he spoke on the history of Ireland and the attitude of the British government. He repeated the oft-heard tales of reprisals and finally summed it all up in the six words "But Ireland wants to be free."

SCHOOL TAX COMPARISON

The average school tax per district is shown, according to his report, to be 6.81 mills. The highest tax is in the village of Lafayette and the lowest in Landec with taxes of 11.88 and 2.8 mills respectively. Strangely enough, Landec is the wealthiest district in the county, with a total taxable wealth of \$148,000 per pupil.

Oliver explained the low mill levy of Landec, by reason, he says of no local levy being made because the state and county levies are sufficient.

Enumeration and enrolment statistics show a steady decline in the number of pupils in attendance. The decrease is 385 in all. However the high school enrollment is steadily increasing, a hundred more pupils being enrolled this year than in 1914.

Twenty-five out of every 100 pupils enrolled, are back in their work, his report will say. He stated that Allen-co is far behind Cuyahoga in this respect, which county with at least nine-tenths of foreign born pupils enrolled in her schools, shows only 10 per cent of pupils retarded in their work.

The highest percentage of retarded

U. S. "Wiggle" is Disgusting to Dance Artist

Shimmy Is Hit by Russian Critic Appearing at Denver

DENVER, Colo. — America's bad manners and lagging discipline are responsible for the "shimmy" dance.

Take it from Anna Pavlova, who is appearing here, there'd be no disgusting, quivering, wiggling or undulations in their dancing if American children were disciplined as Russian children are.

Clad in a scant yard or two of drapery, the Russian artist voiced her disapproval of the modern American "writhing" to her questioner in a local theater.

"Discipline—that was the keynote of life in Russia. And it produced among other things the dance as we Russians do it."

"Now what does this lack of discipline in America produce?" asked Pavlova.

She answered her own question: "The shimmy."

And until American boys and girls learn discipline, this country won't bring up any dancing stars, she added.

"AID IRELAND," IS MAYOR'S PLEA

O'Callaghan Greeted By Big Audience in Lima.

OFFICIAL OFFERS SYMPATHY

Mrs. McWharter Severe in Criticism of British.

Recognition of the Irish Republic by the United States was pleaded for by Donald O'Callaghan, Lord Mayor of Cork and demanded by Mrs. Mary McWharter, president of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians, Saturday night in their addresses at Memorial Hall. Capt. Robert Montieth of Columbus, former captain in the British army and an organizer for the American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic, made a plea for members in the association. Mrs. Adele Christie, of Cleveland, vice-president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the A. O. H., sang a solo.

Lord Mayor O'Callaghan was formally introduced by Mayor F. A. Burkhardt, who welcomed him to the city and expressed deep sympathy for his fellow countrymen. He compared Ireland to America in its fight for liberty and said that "the pathos of history offered no parallel."

J. W. Halfhill, chairman of the meeting, was introduced by F. W. Durbin, chairman of the committee on armament.

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HARDING'S FAREWELL

Harding then announced the appointment of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt as assistant secretary of the navy, saying that he very earnestly desired to have him occupy that post because of his ability and out of respect for the tradition which was established when the older Roosevelt made his entry into national affairs thru this position.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, a cousin, was assistant secretary under Secretary Daniels.

In connection with the Denby announcement, Harding said he has informed congressional leaders he would be very reluctant to suspend the naval building program until a disarmament agreement has been entered into with other nations.

SHOULD DENBY BE ASSISTANT SECRETARY?

Marion — Warren G. Harding's farewell of his home town will be made minus the frills which usually accompanies the send-off given a president-elect when he takes leave of his old friends, here next Wednesday.

"I decided then that I couldn't afford to travel on trains any longer," he said. "I thought everyone I was going to arrest me. I was so tired Friday night, that I slept some but every time I would go to sleep, I would have fearful dreams and wake up with a jerk. I thought everyone in the world was looking for me."

PICKED UP FOR RIDE

Saturday morning, Dalton started to walk south from Bloomington. He had walked about four miles when James Dentis, a laborer, living at Norman, Ill., came along in an automobile.

Dentis asked Dalton if he wanted a ride. Dalton hesitated a minute and then got into the machine.

Dentis said he had been reading about the bank robbery and suspected Dalton as soon as he got into the machine.

"His muscles twitched nervously and he tried to evade questions when I quizzed him," Dentis said.

On reaching Hayworth, Dalton had breakfast with Dentis at Joe Stevens' restaurant. Dalton left and went to the pool hall where he started playing with Jack Hennessy, the local cue shark.

Dentis told his suspicions to Stevens and they called Jack Draper, the town constable.

Draper, his son, Stevens and Dentis, went to the pool hall and after watching Dalton play for a few minutes, arrested him.

ROOSEVELT CHOSEN AS NAVAL AID

Former President's Son Named by Executive-Elect as Assistant to Denby

HARDING RETURNS

Leaves Florida for Inauguration Friday—Marion Prepares Farewell

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla. — With his cabinet completed, President-elect Harding brought his Florida vacation to an end Saturday night.

He prepared to leave Sunday for his inauguration at Washington next Friday. He goes by way of Marion, Ohio, where thousands of old friends and neighbors are preparing a fare-well celebration for him.

The appointment of Edwin Denby of Michigan, to become secretary of the navy, was announced by Harding Saturday. He also stated that Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., will be assistant secretary of the navy.

Maintaining of an adequate navy will be the cardinal policy under his administration. Denby declared shortly after his conference with Harding. He said details had not been worked out at present. He made it plain he intends to cooperate at all times with congress and the president. He has a wide acquaintance with members of congress, having served three terms there.

NAMES ANNOUNCED

Five cabinet appointments have been announced by Harding, up to Saturday night. They are:

AUTO SHOW NOW ONLY MEMORY

Successful Event Came to Close Saturday Night.

FACTS SHOWN IN FIGURES

Attendance Figures Mount High — Expenses Climb.

Some interesting things about the auto show which came to a close Saturday night came to light at the show building when officials got out pencil and paper and began to figure.

Here is what they found: Total value of autos and trucks on display during the show, \$257,445, which does not include accessories. Paid attendance up to Friday night, as close as could be figured, 8,000, and the number of exhibitors, 41 in all.

The expenses of the show, including such items as light, heat, advertising, attendants, decorations and salary for the show manager were, unfortunately for the promoters, considerably augmented by the damage done to the steam heating plant and the cost of installation of new parts. The bills, say, day, it was said, will total \$250.

SOURCE OF RECEIPTS

The chief source of income consisted of the door receipts, floor space rental and program advertising.

Harry Cummings, who assisted the auto show committee, which consisted of W. C. Fridley, C. C. Plummer and Leon B. Morris, planned to leave for Erie, Pennsylvania Sunday, but will not now leave till Monday night.

The crowds Saturday afternoon and evening were as enthusiastic as those earlier in the week.

The crowds in attendance enjoyed the sidelights to the show every bit as much as the beautiful attractions—such as the flowers, music and decorations.

Uniformed attendants on the various floors saw to the immediate wants of all visitors. One attendant in particular, William Harlan, who stood at the main entrance ushering in and out every visitor, attracted the attention of the crowds by his natty appearance and unusual courtesy.

ALL ON ACCOUNT OF A DRESS

Found Guilty of Assault, Miller is Arrested for Theft.

Failure to appreciate the care no gave her family while her husband was in the army was charged by Joseph Wyland, boarder, against Mrs. Eva Miller, Boarding house proprietor, Union and North sts., in a trial in Justice W. H. Guyton's court Saturday.

Wyland, on the witness stand, said he aided the family while the husband was in the army. When Mrs. Miller wanted a new dress, he said he loaned her the money to buy it after her husband's return.

She was to pay the debt, according to the testimony, the following Saturday. But when she did not replace the funds, she declared Wyland wanted to take the dress, he was in court to answer to a charge of assault and battery in an alleged attempt to get the dress.

Mrs. Miller declared she had told Wyland he could take the dress, if he wanted to.

Judge Guyton found Wyland guilty of assault and battery, as charged. Mrs. Miller, after winning the case, then had Wyland arrested on the charge of theft of the dress. Wyland is a clerk at the Charles Maxwell hotel, 969 S. Main-st.

ANOTHER APPEAL FOR NAMES

Allen-co People Urged to Report Names of Soldier Dead.

Response to the appeal for the names of soldier dead who were enrolled in the service from Allen-co, is not meeting the expectations of those compiling the roll.

Names of all those who lost their lives in battle, in camps either here or abroad, by disease here or abroad, or who have died since their return to this country or since their discharge, because of wounds received in battle or from disease contracted while in the service, are wanted for the Allen-co history soon to be published. It would be a shame indeed if, when the roll is published, the names of any one of these heroes would be omitted.

Everyone who knows of any soldier of Allen-co who lost their lives, because of service to their country, should make it their duty to see that the names are made known at once. Mrs. Irene Mills Jackson, at the Red Cross office on the third floor of the Lima Business College building, is in charge of the work and she urgently requests that the names of all soldiers who lost their lives in the world war be sent to her at once.

SAYS DEATH IS UNIVERSAL

Proves That the Dead Still Live. Remarkable evidence that there is no death, there are no dead, is offered by Lloyd Kenyon Jones, Room 1770, 535 S. Clark-st., Chicago, in his book entitled "God's World," in which he shows how, thru God's own law, the spirits of those who have passed thru the portals of Death can and do communicate with those on earth. One should be cheered by the thought that loved ones have not been transmuted into cold, unemotional individuals by death, for God's door is always open between earth life and eternal life, where we all will be united forever.

In his illustrated booklet "Communication," he presents his view of life here and beyond the grave, which will enable you to understand "God's World" and show you how to obtain happiness and a fuller understanding of life here and in the hereafter. Simply send your name to the author at his above address and the book will be sent to you free of all charges. Adv.

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CHAS. H. CROY, LIMA
MAN, DIES AT HOSPITAL,
GALLIPOLIS, SATURDAY

Charles H. Croy, 35, who served in the United States senate some years ago as stenographer to Senator Dixon and other officials, died Saturday at Gallipolis. He had been in failing health some years and had been at a hospital in Gallipolis for treatment since June.

Croy served six years in the senatorial and congressional circles in Washington. He was later located in Havana, Cuba, with an ocean shipping company. He was widely known over the city.

Surviving besides the parents are a daughter, Corinne Croy, two brothers and two sisters. They are D. B. Croy, Chicago; Harry Croy, of the Milwaukee News, Milwaukee, Wis.; Miss Edna Croy, Detroit and Miss Elizabeth Croy, at the parental home.

Arrangements were made Saturday night to have the body brought to the parental home here at 608 W. High-st.

WOULD 'FIRE' MANY TEACHERS

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tion is in the rural and not the village schools because of the better attendance records in the latter, he says.

He classifies in the report to be filed, 26 per cent of the teachers to be superior, 26 should be instantly clamped loose, while 40 per cent are classed as mediocre. He believes the latter class could be improved by more study and experience.

CONDEMS "TIMIDITY"

The manager of discipline, he condemns the "timidity" of superintendents "in putting things across."

They, the superintendents, are too easy on the pupils when it comes to getting them to attend regularly, Oliver added.

UNIFORMED ATTENDANTS

"I've worked a scheme of redistricting," Oliver said. "Centralization of Allen-co schools is the next step in improving school conditions."

In support of his claim that Allen-co can afford and ought to have centralized schools, he dwelt upon some interesting facts. Ninety-five per cent of the roads are hard surfaced. The number of dollars of taxable wealth per pupil for Allen-co is \$12,650. For the entire state of Ohio, the average is \$8,000, or less than three-quarters as much. Oliver based his figures for Allen-co on a total tax duplicate of \$61,000,000 and a total rural enrollment of 4,802 pupils.

The latter figure represents 75 per cent of the number of pupils who ought to be in school. Contrasted with other counties that Oliver has visited this school season, Allen-co is a "trailer," to use one of Oliver's expressions. Guernsey-on has 75 per cent in attendance and Champaign 81 per cent, his personal reports say.

Oliver goes to Columbus Monday to consult with the state department heads, but expects to return the following day.

He says he has personally visited one-third of Allen-co rural pupils and one-fourth of the teachers. He has visited all the village schools and most of the rural buildings.

TO MAKE TRY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Opportunities Open to Children of Penna. Co. Employees.

Pennsylvania Passenger Agent Crooks, has received information concerning the Frank Thomson and John Clark Sims memorial scholarships, which are available to children of all Pennsylvania employees.

The acquisition of a Thomson scholarship depends upon the applicant receiving the highest grade in a competitive examination before the entrance board of New York City. There are two Thomson scholarships available this year. They were made possible in 1907 by the action of the children of Frank Thomson, formerly president of the Pennsylvania railroad, in memory of their father. It was their intention that children of living and deceased employees secure a complete education, so that they might serve the company in a high capacity.

In all there are eight scholarships, each for a period of four years; the scholarship winner is entitled to select any college or university, subject, however, to the approval of the railroad officials.

The John Clark Sims scholarships were founded as a memorial to the late John Clark Sims, formerly secretary of the Pennsylvania railroad company and for many years trustee of the university of Pennsylvania.

Two yearly scholarships, exempting the holder from payment of tuition, were established at the university of Pennsylvania. One scholarship is to be paid by a party chosen by trustees of the university and the other in a competitive examination, open to sons of Pennsylvania railroad employees. Examinations are held under the rules and regulations of the university of Pennsylvania.

Examinations for both the Thomson and Sims scholarships are to be held in June.

It is likely that one or more children of local employees will seek the scholarships, when the time of the examinations comes.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Albert C. McGinnis, 60, farmer, Auglaize-co and Miss Iva Breego, 38, housekeeper, Shawnee-tp. Carroll Dwight Wright, 21, meat cutter, Lima, and Thelma May Harff, 18, multigraph clerk, Lima. J. M. Moffett, 23, machinist, 552 S. Pine-st., and Nellie Lucile Aures, 19, book-keeper, 112 Euclid-ave. John Gorlitz, 65, laborer, Flint, Mich., and Sarah Adella Reed, 51, housekeeper, Lima. Abraham Hilly, 33, farmer, Pandora, and Margaret Onita Basinger, 20, housekeeper, Allen-co.

MARRIED IN SHAWNEE-TP. Sarah Adella Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Reed and John Gorlitz, were married Saturday 7 p.m. at the home of her parents in Shawneetown. The couple leave Sunday on a trip thru Michigan.

LIMA TO OBSERVE "SILK WEEK"

Local Merchants Join In With National Movement.

THE STORY OF SILK MAKING

Twas a Chinese Secret Until a Lover Went Wooling.

"Every dog has his day," the saying goes, but now they have given the lowly silk worm a whole week. Somebody somewhere has decreed that this week is to be known as National Silk Week and Lima is going to observe the period like the rest of the cities, according to George Carter, chairman of the committee of the Merchants' association appointed to make and carry out the plan.

Such, once the raiment of only kings and emperors, queens, etc., will be displayed in all the show windows in bulk and finished product. It is an undisputed fact that silk is the superlative of fineness in dress material, pleasing to the touch as well as to the eye of both male and female. The man who has just not had quite enough nerve to purchase a silk shirt, can do so this week without fear. They will all be up to their ears in silk, for as some one has said: "Lives there a man with soul so dead who never to herself has said, 'Oh, that I were clothed in silk from foot to head?'

WHAT A LITTLE WORM DID

But to get back to the cause of silk, there's the modest little silk worm, whose popularity does not seem to have turned his head. It seems that some 4,983 years ago, 2,640 B. C. to be exact, a cute little Chinese Empress by name Shiling-chi, discovered the little silk worm spinning his flossy skein that his since caused thrones and fortunes to topple. History records that the little empress cultivated the worm and when she appeared in the first silk dress she almost knocked the Emperor off his throne. Silk was the only thing that from that on, the Chinese kept the mystery of silk-making to themselves and if any crook while in his cups let out the facts to some outsider he straightway had his queue removed about eight inches below its roots.

However, some movie actor

Prince of India sojourned in China and lured a little princess from her native land and along with her a silk worm and a bale of mulberry leaves for his feed. The vampire

Prince learned the secret of silk

making and the whole world knew it. \$500,000,000 worth of silk was sold last year.

MRS. LINN FUNERAL

Funeral services for Mrs. Edward Link, 718 W. Vine-st., who died at the City hospital, Friday evening, will be held Monday at 2 o'clock at the High-st. United Brethren church. Interment will be at Woodlawn.

BIRTH OF A SON

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ridon-

our, 211 E. Kirby-st., Friday, a nine-

ounce girl.

VISITORS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF WORLD ATTEND BIG AUTO SHOW SATURDAY

Saturday, the last day of the auto show, saw visitors from various corners of the globe.

Arthur C. Coulter, civil engineer, of La Paz, Bolivia, visited the scene of the show at 545 W. Market-st. and commented favorably upon the beauty of the display.

Another caller, who expressed amazement at the magnitude of the exhibit, for a city of Lima's size, was L. B. Frey, of the Arcadia Valley, Alberta, Canada.

A visitor from Roswell, New Mexico, who failed to leave his name with show officials, was attracted hearing of the display of motor trucks in large numbers.

Motor show officials expressed regret Saturday night, that a guest register was not kept for out-of-town visitors.

GUN CLUB PLANS A NEW HOME

Lease Taken on Land Near New Water Works Lake.

The Lima Gun Club will soon have a new home equal to any in the state, according to Councilman J. W. Reed, secretary-treasurer of the organization.

Several acres of ground at the end of Elm-st. on the banks of the new billion gallon water works reservoir have been leased by the club.

Officers of the club believe that the beautiful maple grove on the edge of the lake will make an ideal park, as well as trap shooting grounds.

A meeting of citizens of Lima interested in the project has been called for 7:15 Monday at the Owen Bros. carriage shop, by M. D. Owen, president of the club.

If it is found that a goodly number of citizens are interested in the project, steps will be taken immediately towards constructing traps.

It is planned to move the transfer station from the public square to the club grounds.

The Gun Club has been using the Linneman farm south of the city as a place for trap shooting, but the property has been laid out into building lots and can no longer be used by the club.

If present plans materialize, Lima

will soon have a new and beautiful park on the shore of a beautiful lake at the very edge of the city and the Lima Gun Club will have ideal trap shooting grounds.

REAL ESTATE SELLS AT MORE THAN APPRAISAL

Sale of 59.52 acres of land in Bath-in, at public auction was made by Sheriff C. W. Baxter Saturday to satisfy the action in probate court of Hazel A. Stevenson, as administratrix of the estate of the late Woodford P. Stevenson.

The property was appraised at \$2,571.20 and was sold by Sheriff Baxter for \$3,900 to A. T. Baldwin.

For more than \$300 over its appraisal value.

WEDNESDAY

3:00 "The Power of Affirmation."

3:00 "The Drama of the Face."

3:00 "Can There Be Spiritual Healing Today?"

3:00 "The Psychology of Prayer."

3:00 "Tuning Up, How?"

3:00 "Spiritual vs. Mental Healing."

SATURDAY

3:00 "Our High School Boys and Girls."

3:00 "Psychic Phenomena, Theosophy, Dreams, Spiritualism, Hypnotism and Telepathy."

3:00 "Nightly Men."

3:00 "Life as a Masterpiece."

3:00 "The Making of a Will."

3:00 "The Power of Concentration."

3:00 "The Wonderland of Memory."

3:00 "Jesus the Conscious Mind of God."

WEDNESDAY

3:00 "Psychology of Dress."

3:00 "The Father, the Subconscious Mind of God and the Holy Spirit. Superconscious Mind of God."

THURSDAY

3:00 "Where is Heaven?"

MOST DR. HOUSE MEETINGS

to Cooperate With Ministerial Association.

ATHLETICS RULES SUPREME

Bowling, Basket Ball, Volley Ball—"Y" Events.

The Ministerial association will have the cooperation and abetting of the Y. M. C. A. in boosting the Dr. L. L. House meetings which open in the Market-st Presbyterian church at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Dr. House will be in Lima until March 11, and is expected to give several talks at the Y. M. C. A. as well as at the local churches.

Dr. House will speak on "The Kind of a Man I Like" at the supper of the "Y" 4-Men's club at 6:30 Wednesday evening. At 7 o'clock a meeting of the presidents of all the young people's church societies will be held, to consider the advisability of arranging for one or two union social affairs to be given at the "Y" after Easter.

Dr. House will address a meeting on Sunday, March 6, at 3 o'clock on the subject, "Mighty Men."

BUSINESS MEN BOWL

A Business Men's bowling league has been started with four teams which bowl afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The captains are R. J. Plate, F. A. Thomas, P. M. Driver and C. V. Stephens.

The Thomas team meets the Driv-

er team Tuesday and on Thursday the Stephens team will oppose the Thomas team. The Solar and Lima telephone teams in the Industrial

League will meet at 8 o'clock Monday evening.

Tuesday evening the Industrial "Y" Basketball League games will be played, Solar meeting L. E. & W. and Garfield meeting the Merchants.

The second game of the Kiwanis and Rotary Bowl Tournament series will be played either Wednesday or Thursday evening. The Kiwanis team won two of the three games played Thursday night.

The Gramm-Bernstein bowling team will bowl the Willard team at 8 o'clock Friday night.

Three games in the Church Y. M. C. A. Basketball League will be played starting at 7:30 Saturday night. South Side Church of Christ vs. U. B., Christian vs. Reformed and Baptist vs. Trinity M. E.

Physical Director L. G. Maxwell will attend a Physical Director's conference in Toledo Friday.

The Young Men's Gym Bible class will meet at 7 o'clock Monday night with Physical Director Maxwell as leader. A class in English meets at the same hour. P. R. Marshall is leader. The Salesmanship class meets at 8 o'clock. R. B. Barnhart is the teacher.

LAST BOYS' MEETING

Two hundred boys are expected to be present at the Sunday afternoon boys' meeting at the Y. M. C. A. L. E. Allison will speak and the J. B. Knowles family of 358 S. Jackson-st. will play. This family, consisting of three boys, one girl and the father and mother, compose an unusual orchestra.

Homer Zurmhely is leading in the contest for the six months' free membership which is being offered to the boy who brings the largest number of visitors. So far he has brought 16. A closing banquet will be given Friday evening, March 4, for all the boys who pay their dues up to date.

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—All silk knit ties in plain black or fancy patterns, all colors and priced at 95c —Main floor.

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ALL SILK TIES 95c

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\$1.98 DRAPERY SILK \$1.25
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—50 inches wide silk drapery in green and mulberry, \$2.25 yard.

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\$6.95 Drapery Madras \$4.95
—45 inch silk drapery madras in wanted colors for \$4.95 yard.

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—excellent quality Gros de Londre silks in best grade, two-tone effects, soft finish at \$2.79.—Basement.

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hope for alteration in the taxation policy of the state. They say the folks are getting so disgusted with the patronage hunting and with the general indifference to public welfare that they fear any taxation amendment submitted by this General Assembly will be defeated before it is submitted. The situation has worked around for them until it was in this shape. The uniform rule element has been compelled to bare its hand and to show that it really favored tax rate reduction and the advocates of a change were able to take their place in behalf of an income tax law, thereby robbing away from class legislation which is a hideous word to the farmers. It seems up to date for them, however, for they are just sailing along when the river comes along and set all hopping on the administration and all of its works.

If persistence is ever rewarded, then O. K. Shumansky, secretary of the Ohio Board of Commerce, deserves a silver crown from the liability insurance interests, since his defeat has in no wise diminished the zeal of this ardent youth who longs to restore to the banished companies the fruits they enjoyed. "Sh" will destroy that workmen's compensation law if he busts a gallus doing it. All hands around the Capitol of Ohio agree that whatever emoluments he receives, they are not great enough. But the remarks of leaders indicate that while they would like to do something, they scarce dare. In spite of his petition which was obtained by hard work of agents, there seems to be little disposition to tinker with the law. This, after all, is only repeating the experience of past years. In 1915, the same interests came with an initiated bill and received some votes, perhaps a third of those in the House of Representatives. In 1917, the companies were banished from Ohio, but "Sh" labored on. If another election were not just around the corner, and there were no such thing as the referendum, the bill to let the old interests in would go sailing thru, but the General Assembly, after all, only dicti- fied all that they possess in their view have been given, warmly

strangely enough, are losing their popularity.

What is considered a more smooth way around the wall of popular opinion to the end sought is a plan to tinker the machinery of the Ohio Industrial Commission. If it can only be placed in charge of men hostile to it and hostile enough there will be no need to destroy by a direct frontal attack. There are many obligations to be paid off with the reorganization scheme and not the least is the proposal to invite enemies of the workmen's compensation law into the Industrial Commission. The strange thing is that the first positive steps were taken on the very day when the representatives of labor and the representatives of the Ohio Manufacturers Association had reached an accord of 100% state wide agreement on the principle that the Hon. George H. Clark, of Canton, general terms of the existing law should be retained unchanged upon the statute book and that only minor changes to correct abuses should be made. All of which is submitted for consideration.

When three officials last week laid down their official duties, a general verdict of good service went with them to private life, notwithstanding there was attempt by the state administration to blacken them. The men to whom these lines refer are H. S. Riddle, I. S. Gathery and C. P. Creamer of the Ohio Board of Administration. Creamer was a long time ago appointed but his party seems to have forgotten him this year. He served two years more than Mr. Daugherty in the same office. Through a peculiar set of circumstances but no one will be heard to say that Creamer has been a failure in any of the offices he held. He cleaned out the office of Treasurer of State and became the Board of Administration clear of suspicion. Gathery was a recognized business man and his services at his post will be missed. Both men expressed themselves rather vigorously upon the conduct of the Governor in a statement recently given out and as they both lay their hands upon their hearts in discussing their transactions in the board, they propose to remain on guard to see that no false witness is borne against them. If necessary they may go further and entombed themselves out stout Hickory clubs to protect reputations. It's getting so that mud batters can be spewed only with a little firm insistence upon rights.

"Justice poisoned at its source" will be the slogan used to urge upon public attention the alleged necessity of insuring to all persons accused of offenses the right which the Constitution seems to guarantee to all. This is the right of trial by jury. The issue is to be presented again to the courts. It will be pushed in the General Assembly and anywhere and everywhere that men still profess an interest in fundamental justice. There have come to notice many cases throughout Ohio where men have been dragged to distant parts of their counties tried before Justices where the verdict was made up in advance and found all that they possess in their view have been given, warmly

and more to the point. It will prove interesting to watch the antics of those who are forced to meet this issue whether it be in legislative or judicial tribunals. Does the Constitution as Abraham Lincoln would have put it, mean what plain men understand it to mean or can it be delayed upon to do violence to fundamental principles? In Ohio, today, men are denied trial by jury under the forms of law because prison sentences are no part of the sentences. Will this remain the law of a civilized state?

One of the stories told in the New York World in its series of articles which have brought to paint a few dark spots on the genial Harry Daugherty soon to be Attorney General, was that

the General Assembly, pitifully small and impotent as it is, has come to ask where the friends of labor are. The eight-hour bill was killed, the minimum wage bill is practically dead although the Governor was presented with it, and the occupational disease compensation bill is to be whittled away to nothing. The full crew bill is now up in committee and the constant threat is hurled at labor that if the advocates of measures are not quiet the constabulary bill is to be launched against them and put thru. Not since the Willing legislature has labor received treatment so rough, but there is little complaint. In fact, in many quarters the course of events has given real and abundant joy. Labor, too, is confronted with treachery on the part of some minor leaders who are reported "sold out" on the Liability Insurance bill and there is a big row over the matter now.

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It took a week for the scribes to do what they finally knocked the Highways committee of investigation loose from the strangle hold grip of the Attorney General's office. Hereafter, the Chairman, James R. Hopley, is to be the publicity agent when star chamber sessions are to be held. Too much is enough, as Potash and Timmerman would say, and the policy of placing the power of the committee in the hands of an office that is itself to be reviewed, was traveling too

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HORNER ON JOB TEMPORARILY

Allen-co Gives and Takes Away a Congressman

(By J. W. FISHER). In the language of the oldtime country correspondent of the county weekly newspaper when there was little or nothing in the community to write about, "news are scarce."

This same might very appropriately be applied to the local political situation right now. Having been at the head of the rumpus of cautiousness there are just a lot of admiring friends and acquaintances—political and otherwise—in Lima and all over the fourth district, who are banking on John's ability to rise head and shoulders figuratively speaking—over the small fry that slips into every congress.

It's an honor to have one's fellow citizen elected to congress and Lima is appreciative of the fact that John is going to help save the country that the Democrats were accused of almost giving away in a league of nations pact, but it isn't likely that John will approve of a farewell from his fellow-citizens that takes the form of an outpouring of the people, even walls have ears and refuse to hold their pow-wows within the precincts of the executive headquarters, third floor rear in the Holmes block.

Since the Craig-Gray-Thompson commissioner contest has come to an end, the political volcano isn't working over time in Allen-co. Gray runs up the white flag of peace Saturday, the agreeing to accept the decision of the court and the recount of the ballots and permit Craig to have the four-year term, contenting himself with two years. Andy had a few months of pleasant anticipation, anyway.

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As a consequence, the little pleasantries such as officials signing the "rule by committee" gang, the fight among officials-elect for long terms and the uncertainty of political plums soon ripe for picking, have wailed like a风 on a frosty night.

There's an old nursery rhyme that runs like this: "Little Jack Horner, he sat in a corner, eating his Christmas pie."

Our own Jack Horner is eating pie right over in the central Ohio village on the Scioto river, where the big penitentiary is located and where ward sounds emanate from the pile of stone in the center of the village designated as the state house when the legislature is in session.

But Jack is only sampling the pips. His cut came in the form of a tender of the post of assistant to Adjutant General Florence, after his predecessor who served exactly one month grandiloquently announced that he had resigned.

Jack wants the job and he doesn't want it. It's a pleasant sort of task, this assistant-adjudant general, but Jack isn't much enamored of the peace time nor the war-time salary that attaches to the holding of the job. Nothing loath to try it out, Jack donned his regiments as a Lieutenant-Colonel and for two weeks has been demonstrating the undeniably fact around the army workshop's Councils that he's well versed in military lore and that he's forgotten more than a lot of other fellows poking around the place ever knew.

Whether Jack will remain in the Adjutant-General's department during the term of his superior is contingent upon the generosity or lack of generosity of the legislature in increasing or refusing to increase the annual stipend that would be his, regularly and unfailingly, in the form of a check of sufficient dimensions to insure that the wolf could be chased away from the door.

In other words, more lucid-like, the salary of the assistant adjutant general isn't sufficiently generous to attract Jack away from a thriving mercantile business in the hub of the business mecca of northwestern Ohio, better known as Lima, (Ohio) as the announcer at the prize fight never fails to add when speaking of the best town on earth. Until Jack decides to stay permanently or kick out of his uniform, he'll continue on the job in the Scioto village. And you have the best wishes of this old

truth teller, Jack, no matter what you may finally decide. The latest word from Columbus is that Jack is still serving temporarily.

Any one of you ordinary folks who have ever had the experience of waiting on a cold night in a poorly heated railway station at a junction point in strange territory for a late train, can easily imagine what it has been to our fellow townsman John L. Cable to wait for the coming of March 4th, when the bands will play in Washington and W. G. will become President and John L. a Congressman at the same time.

Ordinarily, John is a patient citizen, but who could blame him for being anxious for the time when he'll meet Congressman B. F. Welty ambling back to private life and a law practice, with just enough time to say: "Hello, Ben; good-bye."

But then, Ben has had his little fling, from peddling government garden seeds to impeaching Judge Landis and getting on the front pages, picture 'n all. It's now John's turn and altho John L. probably doesn't expect to comport himself in a manner other than is customary until he passes the "baby member" stage, there

is taught the rudiment of cautiousness and maintaining of a close mouthed silence—wise—in Lima and all over the fourth district, who are banking on John's P. O. P. camp have decided that even walls have ears and refuse to hold their pow-wows within the precincts of the executive headquarters, third floor rear in the Holmes block.

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Genuinely alarmed over the prospect of Governor Davis really "canceling" a goodly number of the political plums that have been hanging tantalizingly low on the state tree in Columbus, party leaders are wondering if Davis really meant it or whether he was just foolin' when he talked about reducing state expenses by lopping off "twigs" and leaving a lot of salary drawers out in the cold, cruel world, in midwinter at that.

Of course, the party plum pickers want the other fellows fired, but they don't want the places abolished; not by a jugful. They're been waiting four long years to get back into a position where they can lord it over the fellows who nosed them out of the oats box and just as the sun of their hopes had almost reached the zenith, the fear that Davis meant business on that expense reducing chatter smote them like a colored man who imagines he sees a ghost while passing a graveyard on a dark night.

But fear not, ye faithful voters of water for the party pachyderm. Even tho the Governor was in earnest, (which he probably wasn't) the party bosses have decreed otherwise. For how in thunder are they going to maintain a party organization when there are no plums to toss? That's what they want to know, so they do. They're not in favor of reducing the state payroll, even if Harry did promise to do it. Harry may be Governor, but he isn't running the Republican party—not altogether. So it's likely he'll have to revise his little plans to suit the needs of his party.

And with the legislative cutups pulling off such stunts as they have been doing, it's going to take a mighty strong G. O. P. machine with lots of well-salaried parts to prevent disaster being visited when the voters get busy at the polls again.

Watchfully waiting, hoping and praying, that the people of Ohio would rise up in their might and wrath and smite the god danged party that choked their meat little source of income by the enactment of the workers' compensation law, the private liability companies chortled with glee when their prayers were answered decisively last November.

Unable to get a toe hold on the impregnable rock of workmen's protection by the state while a Democratic

administration sat on the lid at Columbus, the crowd that always hated the state compensation measure like a rattle snake has thrown caution to the winds and has taken a step that is somewhat akin to the saying "fools rush in where angels fear to tread."

Altho the new administration is little more than a month old and hasn't gotten its feet fairly on the ground, the private liability companies have succeeded in getting something like 2312 employers of labor in the state to sign a petition asking the legislative body to modify the compensation law in such a manner as to break the monopoly of the state in this line of insurance, which has proven the greatest boon that ever fell to the lot of hundreds and thousands of men and women who work.

It need not be said that labor leaders will fight the move that is recognized as the entering wedge in a cleverly laid plan to destroy the splendid law altogether. Since the Ohio supreme court in a recent decision guaranteed complete state monopoly in liability insurance, there was only one thing that could be done—attack the law thru the legislature.

The Ohio board of commerce is endeavoring to convince the legislature that employers want private companies to regain a hold on the lucrative business, but that organization of course doesn't attempt to tell the lawmakers what the employees think about it. That would probably spoil the little game that is apparently being cooked up.

Those who labor and who know what the compensation law contained as it now is means to them, had best bestir themselves to action. The attempt of the McAdoo folks collapsed like a busted balloon when Mrs. Pyke came out with a statement that she had signed the round robin under a misapprehension of its real meaning and that she repudiated it.

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And there you are.

the pitiful part of it all is that the very folks who are "best for hands off" the compensation law, in large numbers aided in bringing about the very situation they punished others for attempting to create only four years ago. Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty!

Opinion has been and likely will continue to be divided on the question of the advisability of the Democratic party designating James M. Cox as its candidate for the presidency four years hence, but the fact remains that a politician and a wise bird, hep to all the ways and wiles of the game, the former Governor isn't from yesterday.

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BUSINESS CONDITIONS

FRIDAY of the present week will witness a complete change in government for our Nation. It comes at a crisis-period similar to the inauguration of William McKinley in 1897, when labor the country over was out of work and the bread line had been the vogue throughout the winter months preceding.

War brought inflation, because things had to be done and done quickly. Price of doing them was secondary. It was do, or die. We have no patience with those croakers and back-biters who would delve into war expenditures and paint the enormity of the cost. Every day we saved in time was worth twice the money.

It is not easy to be plunged from peace into war; neither must we fret when we find it hard to forget war-time prices and their consequent high wage and return to peace wage and peace purchases.

Mr. Harding is pledged to a business administration. Primarily this means readjustment of taxes, elimination of the so-called excess profits tax against business and much of the luxury taxes, both of which are in fact taxes against the public. Passing the buck to the next big in line is over.

There is but one attitude for us all to assume whatever our station in life. It is to give an honest day's work to our country. The higher law of supply and demand will affect labor wage and salaries alike. Manipulation of compensation was possible in war time, when the government was the buyer, but today you and 120,000,000 other vous are the sole buyers and buying is for you to determine.

Prices of no commodities on earth as a whole can be raised in 1921 for buyers will not buy. It is the same with wages; you can demand all you like, but if it is too much the answer will be closed factories, no building, no freight, nothing doing. Employers are anxious to employ at living wages, but they cannot employ at war-time wages.

There is nothing the matter with business except delay, and this delay is being rapidly broken here there, everywhere, until shortly we shall see all over Ohio and the country, a general resumption of industry.

KILL THE RATS

MANY CITIES throughout the country are making organized drives on rats as a part of their Spring clean-up campaign. The plan is good and should be a benefit to Lima when the time comes for doing our annual brightening up of things about the city.

Rats cause more waste than any other of our pests. The loss occasioned by them annually cannot be accurately estimated, but it is enormous. They also are instrumental in spreading disease and to them many fires each year may be charged.

Time spent in helping to exterminate this rodent will net a big return. Lima has its share of rats and officials would do well to organize a drive against them this spring.

MAKING HOMES POSSIBLE

VARIOUS sections of the country are promoting the building of homes in a number of different ways to relieve the general shortage of houses. While the plans are not always similar, they are based on the principle of making loans to worthy persons wishing to erect homes possible without too much red tape.

Building and loan associations are doing a big work in this respect as are also the banks but their resources in some cases are not adequate to take care of the calls for money. The state of South Dakota has just passed a law making it possible for money to be obtained from the state for this purpose, which appears to be a very desirable scheme when local financial institutions reach their limit.

Every possible encouragement should be given to get homes built at this time. Home owners make better citizens and better citizens make a better country in which to live.

AS YOU LIKE IT



OLD SCISSORS SAYS:

"Men wants a little here below" and woman here wants but little—below the knee,

We have received a letter from one satisfied worker. He says all he has to do is load the pig iron into the wagon. The horses do all the pulling.

"What are we going to do if the farmer load?" New York Herald. Maybe we'll have to go to work.

Things are really going back to normal in Lamar. Says the "Democrat": "It is declared that quite a number of women in Lamar who used to do washings have not only been away from the suds and wringer for some time, but have been sending them own washings to the laundry. Now, however, there is a change. A good many of these same women are not only doing their own washing again but are once more out doing washings for others."

IMPORTANT, IF TRUE
A well-hatted young man in evening clothes stood in front of an excise after midnight, holding tenaciously to a sign that held a great clock. Said excise place is now a bank. The young man was weeping.

When a policeman came along to find out what troubled him it was some time before the young man could restrain his sobs to reply. At last he said: "I was in a thinking of the orange blossom cocktails and the plates of salted nuts they used to serve here."

Then he straightened up, looked at the policeman and said frankly: "Offisher, is it true that we are going to have prohibition?"—Odd McIntyre.

SUCH "TAKING" WAYS
Last night, at a gorgeous restaurant,
Sweet Fanny and I did dine;
The repast was enjoyable—
Delicious, tasty and fine.
A maid took Fanny's wrap—
They took us to a table,
There our waiter took a nap.
They took me for a farmer
From the wildwoods of N. J.
The meal was so expensive
It most took my breath away,
The proprietor looked o'er my shoulder
As I wrote this little stint,
But he vanished ere I finished,
So I guess he took the hint.

Jesse Mittelmann.

ABE MARTIN



JUST FOLKS—BY EDGAR A. GUEST

UNCLE SAM—PILOT
Things ain't looking none too good
But let's keep on sawin' wood;
Clouds appear a trifle thick,
But if I was asked to pick
Out a shelterin' place to stay
Till the storm goes by, I'd say:
"Let me be right where I am—
I've got faith in Uncle Sam."

Right now, fur as I can see,
There's no better place to be;
Rug the flags an' the countries thru,
An' the old red, white and blue
Seems more fitted fer rough weather
Than the rest o' them together.
Nail this slogan up fer me—
Here is where I want to be.

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When the weather starts to blow,
It's consolin' if you know
That the pilot of the ship
Has a strong an' steady grip
An' knows how to take the seas;
So in the troubled days like these,
Let me say right glad I am
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WHAT THE STARS PREDICT

This is a most fortunate day. Favorable stars rule clergymen and churches; the latter will exert much influence on public affairs during the next few months. Writers, especially poets, will know success in the near future; all writings are under a favorable rule.

There will be much agitation for reform, by churches and newspapers.

Many notable weddings will occur immediately after Easter. Persons born on this day will have a successful year if they avoid worry.

Children born today will be clever and will succeed in several lines.

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having your eyes examined. It's like delaying to turn in the alarm when your home is afire. You may not need glasses—but you should be sure. A careful examination by our modern methods assures properly fitted glasses.

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CABLE READY FOR HIS NEW JOB

Leaves Monday for Washington, as Member of Congress.

OUTLINES VIEWS IN PART

Gives Views on Tariff and Refunding of War Debt.

I hope to be of some service to our government and to the people of the South Congressional district in particular," Congressman-elect John L. Cable said Saturday night. "I was engaged in closing up his affairs, preparatory to his departure Monday, with Mrs. Cable and their children for Washington, where on March 4 Cable will take the oath of office as a member of the national body of lawmakers.

With such a large Republican majority in congress," Cable said, "I believe that work is a good motor and I intend to follow it."

TAXES AND TARIFF BIG ISSUES

Taxes and tariff are two of the main issues confronting the incoming administration. The new congress faces a tax rate said to be 10 per cent higher than ever before, except a year or two after the end of the civil war. This increase is partly due to the tremendous war debt.

Cable looks with favor upon the suggestion that all bonded indebtedness to the war be re-funded into one long-term bond issue at a rate of four and one-fourth per cent, tax exempt. He believes an issue of this kind would decrease the present drain on the national treasury and spread the financial burden over several generations to come.

Making and passing a tariff bill is no easy business, the congressman-to-be said. "The Fordney bill is in the nature of a temporary aid to home industry, particularly the farmer, thru our present crisis and adjustment."

Since the war, Uncle Sam stands as a creditor of almost all other countries. Larger exports to the United States and smaller imports from America are desired by these European countries in order that they may pay their debts to us with goods rather than cash. On the other hand if we should build our tariff wall so high that it keeps out all foreign made goods, then each country might adopt a like high tariff in their ability to buy from us depends on their finding markets here. We may be willing that Europe and Asia ship us some goods, but not at a price with which the American producer cannot compete.

CABLE'S TARIFF VIEWS

The American people are opposed to the present situation, I believe," Cable said, "that permit a foreigner to market his goods in the United States at prices which are returning his competing producer here. I believe in a tariff the schedule of which shall be upon the principle of a duty equal to the difference in cost of producing here and foreign costs, with a fair and equal treatment to all our American producers."

There should be economy in the management of our government. One method is by consolidation of many bureaus in Washington and the elimination of duplication. The public pays the bills and salaries of officials engaged in doing the same work that other bureaus and other officials are charged with performing.

There are many other vital issues to be solved by the new administration. New and amended laws will aid but not solve them or bring the country back to anything like a normal condition. It will require time patience and the cooperation of the American people."

Alfred P. Rock, newspaper man of Piqua and Dayton, appointed by Cable as his private secretary, was in Lima Saturday and stated that he also would leave Monday for Washington to go on the job simultaneously with his chief.

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JACOB PIPER

MAKE HEADWAY IN GAS RATE CASE

Civic Bodies Decide on Plan as Aid to Situation.

COUNCIL WILL MEET TUESDAY

Ask Council and Company to Accept Expert Report.

Unanimous approval of the proposed plan of arbitration of Lima's gas controversy as recommended by the joint gas committee of the Lima Chamber of Commerce and the Lima Manufacturers' Association, was expressed at noon Saturday when officials of the East Side Improvement Association, the South Side Improvement Association and the executive boards of the two associations represented by the committees heard a resolution outlining its specifications.

As a result, the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and the executive committee of the Manufacturers' Association, in separate sessions at the conclusion of the joint meeting, formally went on record approving the plan. Pledges of the finest kind of cooperation in assisting to work out the idea were given by the improvement association officers.

SEE SUCCESS IN PROSPECT

A special subcommittee that has spent hours on details of the scheme during the past three days was instructed by Saturday's joint meeting to make an effort to have a special meeting of the city council called for consideration of the subject Tuesday night, when they will present the complete outline. Council will meet as desired.

The fundamental of the plan is the securing of an expert to investigate and make a public report on a fair and equitable gas rate for the

city. Such expert is being considered only on the condition that he is approved in advance of any contract by both the city council and the Lima Natural Gas company and that both bodies after approving the choice made of the individual, who must be "above reproach," whose report cannot be questioned, shall agree to abide by his decision, whatever that may be.

Chairman A. C. Cajacob of the Chamber of Commerce gas committee, in presenting the report and recommendation, outlined the belief of the joint committee that council and the gas company are now so deadlocked that neither side will budge unless some arbitration plan can be started.

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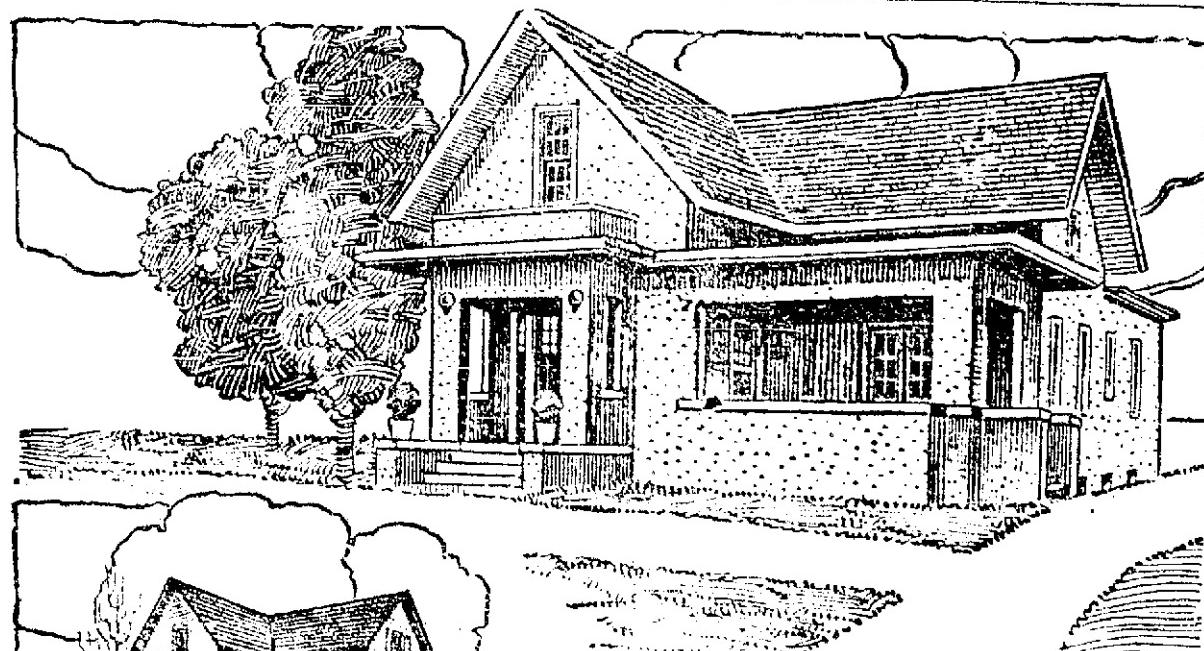
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Snaps Vertebrae Into
Place and Girl Drops
Into Slumber

After talking helplessly for 212 hours in defiance of every remedial effort known to medical science, little 8-year-old Miriam Rubin finally lapsed into a profound slumber yesterday morning. For an hour the childlike voice, which had become scarcely audible because of the physical strain, was stilled.

One week of incessant prattling had so weakened the little Waukegan girl that on Saturday night physicians pronounced her condition as extremely critical. It was feared she might succumb to a nervous collapse unless some method could be found for quieting her.

Dr. Berger Volunteers

This strange malady had baffled specialists. Every form of sedative had been administered, but to no avail. Finally Dr. Paul Berger, a chiropractor of Waukegan, asserted confidently that he could save the child's life and pleaded for the opportunity. Dr. R. H. T. Nesbit, the family physician, and two other consultants agreed.

All other treatments were immediately suspended and Dr. Berger made an examination.

The child was placed in a chair, her back bared to the waist. The chiropractor placed a pad beside him containing a chart of the spine and its vertebrae.

Finds Vertebrae Sprung

Then he began running trained fingers along the spinal column, much as a musician runs the scale on a piano, and making checks upon the chart.

"Here it is," said Dr. Berger. "As I suspected the second and fifth vertebrae have been sprung out of place. One of them has pinched the nerves which control the organ of speech. The other, perhaps, is causing her wakefulness and her high fever. If you

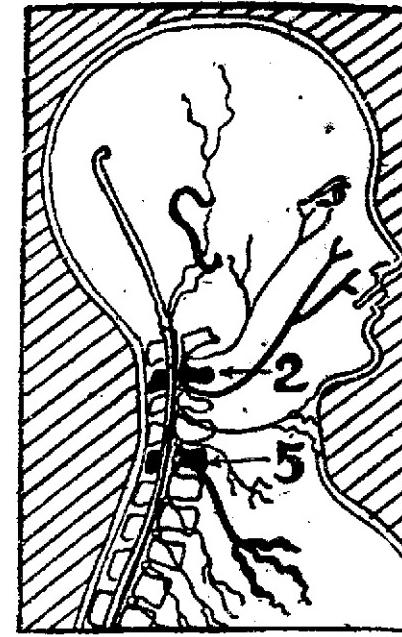


Chart of Girl's Spine

This diagram shows the disordered vertebrae which are said to have caused the strange illness of the little girl, Miriam Rubin, who has talked incessantly for 212 hours. The second vertebra was found to be slightly out of alignment to the right. The fifth was similarly dislocated. Following the readjustment almost immediate improvement sleeping yesterday for the first time in nine days.

Dr. Frank H. Sebold of Chicago.

will place your fingers in this position, Dr. Nesbit, you will observe the misalignment."

Dr. Nesbit agreed with the diagnosis.

"And now," said Dr. Berger, "to spring them back into place."

The chiropractor's strong hands exerted pressure upon the child's small back. There was an audible snap. The child emitted a sigh.

Responds by Sleep

Shortly thereafter her temperature dropped four degrees and she lapsed into the first slumber she has had for a week.

"There will be more trouble," said Dr. Berger. "The muscles will again pull the vertebrae out of alignment. Recurring treatment will be necessary until this abnormality is overcome. But I hope that we have struck the right track."

When she awakened she immediately began babbling again about "teacher," her "dolls," "mamma" and other objects closest to her heart.

But she talked less rapidly and more coherently, and last night fell asleep again for an hour and a half.

Her fever subsided during the past twelve hours and is now near normal.

Dr. Nesbit stated the improvement in the child's condition was quite marked and

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MIRIAM RUBIN
The Little Victim of
Talking Sickness

he believed that she would survive.

Frantic over the doom that hung over their child unless some medical aid could be found, the anxious parents have sought the advice of specialists from all parts of the country.

A hasty search of records disclosed no case exactly similar.

Experts suspected that the weird ailment was a sister malady to sleeping sickness, but could not essay an authoritative opinion as to its origin. The Rubin residence became a veritable clinic, with specialists meeting intermittently in studios consultation.

It was a keen human interest in the case that led Dr. Berger to ask for the privilege of proving his contention that the disorder originated in the delicate nerve centers in the spinal column. The doctor has a daughter, Beatrice, of the same age as Miriam, and felt more than a purely professional interest in the case.

Chiropractor's Statement

Examination revealed that one of the vertebrae of the neck was subluxated to the right. This may have caused the sleeplessness and the talkativeness," Dr. Berger said.

"The fifth cervical vertebra was slightly dislocated, which may have accounted for the

pains about the shoulders and arms. This resulted in an impingement of the nerves emerging from the spinal column, causing disorder in the organs in which they terminated."

Spinal Content Tested

Examination has revealed that otherwise the child is enjoying normal health. Dr. Isaac Abt, expert neurologist, of Chicago, made a careful examination of the child Saturday, and tapped the spinal column for a specimen of the content.

After analysis of this specimen yesterday, the eminent physician stated that there was no indication of any malignant disease."

The net work of nerves which carries the normal flow of life giving energy to every organ and tissue is responsible for the health of the body. These nerves are distributed through the spinal column.

If through accidents, blows, strains, or unnatural curvature the moveable bones of the spine become slightly displaced, they press on the nerves and obstruct the free passage of the health-giving currents. The organs or tissues fed by the obstructed nerves naturally become weakened and diseased. Pressure on the nerves leading to the stomach, for instance, is often the cause of stomach trouble.

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This company's local office is located in the Collins building on the square and is in charge of an expert, Mr. Bell, under the direction of Mr. Finley, district manager.

THOR IRONER
The New Thor Perfect Ironer has made its debut in Lima thru the Household Electric Co., at 112 South Elizabeth-st. The machine in itself is so constructed as to eliminate the usual cumbersome parts which not only mar the looks of the machine but hinder the efforts of the worker.

All operations of the machine can be controlled by small switches which are located at one side of the machine where they do not hinder operations.

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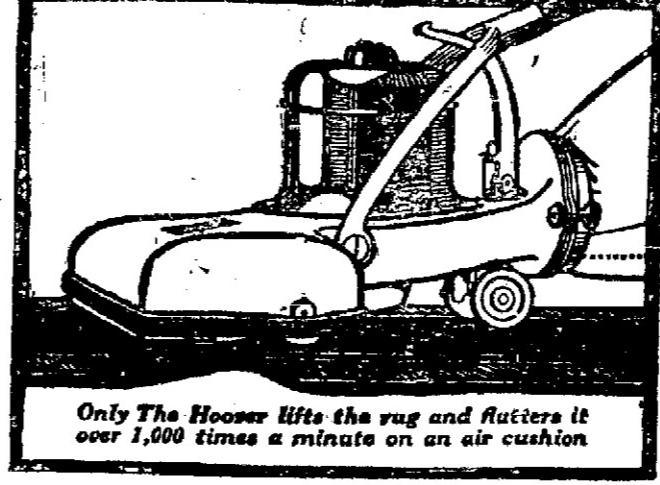
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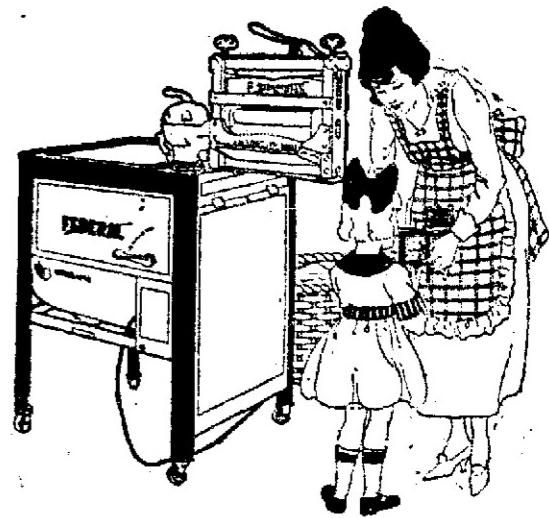
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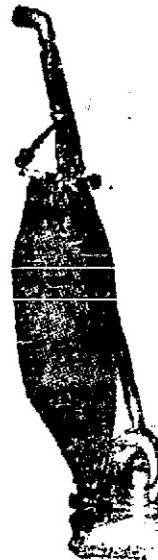
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STORIES OF SILKS FOR SILK WEEK

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First Silk Culture

Chinese myths date the culture of silk back to 2640 B. C., almost 3,200 years before its nature was understood in Europe.

One of the three emperors to whom the Chinese ascribe the beginning of their ancient customs was Huang-Ti, who is said to have invented the making of garments, which possibly means an improvement in weaving. He instructed his Empress, Si-Ling-Chi to experiment with the wild silk worms, which lived on the mulberry trees, to see if they could be raised by the people.

Whether the silk in their cocoons had previously been, like linen or wool, not reeled, but spun, and then made into cloth, is not stated, but seems probable. The Empress collected a large number of the worms from the mulberry trees, learned how to feed and raise them, and what is much more important, how to reel or unwind the silk filaments from their cocoons.

While this account is only a legend, it emphasizes the fact that silk culture was known in China from time immemorial. A number of notices concerning it in the oldest Chinese books confirm this statement. Confucius, for example, about 500 B. C., noted that the Emperor and his vassals maintained, near a brook, a government nursery for mulberry trees and silk worms. It was then that the custom for lots to be drawn by the ladies of the three palaces and for the lucky ones thus chosen to be sent to the nursery to care for the worms.

In the last Spring month the young Empress was wont to purify herself and offer a sacrifice to the Goddess of the silk worms. She, herself would go to the fields and gather mulberry leaves. The raising of the silk worms was so important that at this season she would dispense with the waiting women who sewed and embroidered for her, and forbid similar work for the noble ladies and ministers' wives in order that all might give their attention to the culture of the worms. As this suggests, the silk industry in ancient China was considered so vital to the prosperity of the people as to be interconnected with various religious rites.

Early Records

From a compilation by the Chinese government of the early notices and rules in regard to silk culture, it is possible to get a very good idea of the methods they employed even in the earliest, as well as mediaeval times. There are also several paintings on antique porcelains and a number of quaint wood cuts by ancient Chinese artists, which serve to visualize the industry and give something of its atmosphere as it existed in those far off days. Low-Show, for example, in 1210 produced a whole series of 46 wood cuts showing the processes of agriculture and silk culture which had already been in use from time immemorial.

The industry naturally fell into great divisions of raising the mulberry trees, producing cocoons, reeling, and weaving the silk.

It was early recognized that there were two great species of mulberry trees—the loo, or large mulberry, which was common in the north, and the king, or dwarf mulberry, which was native in the south. The king was more hardy, but the loo had larger and more abundant leaves. For this reason the Chinese early learned to graft a slip from the large on to one from the dwarf mulberry, and to raise the trees from such slips, with the dwarf one furnishing the roots. Oil cakes and decayed fish were used for fertilizer. As the tree grew it was carefully pruned by cutting off the central branches, so as to make it spread and increase the foliage.

The briefest outline of the ancient Chinese rules for the raising of the silk worm will suggest what patient, painstaking care the industry demanded.

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Ancient Europe

At how early a date silks were first imported to the countries around the Mediterranean we shall probably never know.

Aristotle and Pliny say that Pamphilia, the daughter of Plateos, king of the Island of Cos, was the first one who discovered the art of unravelling the heavy silks imported from the East, and re-weaving from them a tissue so translucent as to reveal and yet conceal a woman's charms.

This implies that silks were imported before 400 B. C. But for nine centuries after this, the only manufacture of silk in the Western world was such an unravelling and re-weaving of foreign goods.

There was, of course, no direct trade between the Mediterranean and China. Even the Romans bought their silks from the Persians who in turn got them from northern India, or from some other point to which they had been carried from China, while the Chinese themselves did all they could to keep the process of silk production a secret.

The fact that all silks were imported over difficult and dangerous routes totalling thousands of miles, made them extravagances even for the emperors.

Nearchus, one of Alexander's generals, was said to have been the first Greek to don an all silk garment. Silk was introduced into Rome after the Earthian wars, 54 B. C., but remained rare and costly. Marcus Antonius sent an embassy to the Seres to make a treaty about importing silk, but without results, and it continued to be supplied through the Persians. The first Roman to wear pure silk robes was Heliogabalus, the Emperor (222 A. D.) and he was considered extremely self-indulgent for so doing.

The Emperor Aurelian (273 A.D.) refused to allow his wife to buy a silk shawl, because it was priced at literally its weight in gold.

The Emperor Tacitus made it unlawful to wear silk unless mixed with other materials.

In England

Silk was manufactured in England as early as 1251. At the marriage of the daughter of Henry III a thousand knights appeared with silk garments. In 1455 a committee of silk women protested against the importation of Italian silks. There was a guild of silk throwers at Spital Fields, London, 1562. John Tie, in 1573, claimed to have perfected the making of tufted taffetas and wrought velvets. The first large manufacture of silk dates from about 1555, when Flemish weavers settled there, fleeing, after the capture of Antwerp, during the revolt of Flanders from Spain. Queen Elizabeth was greatly pleased with silk, instead of the previous cloth stockings, and was much disappointed because Lee's stocking machine, invented in 1589, knitted only wool stockings. Nine years later, however, he succeeded in knitting silk, and presented her with a pair.

James I was tremendously enthusiastic over silk, and just as fanatical against tobacco. He made a number of attempts to encourage the raising of silkworms in England, but after fourteen years of failure there, partly because of too damp a climate, shifted his efforts to the colonies.

A number of notable inventions marked the close of the Seventeenth Century.

In 1671 Edmund Blood obtained a patent for carding and spinning waste silk, which was probably the first successful attempt in Europe to do so. A patent of 1687 was to use a device instead of a helper to draw the cords controlling the warp on a draw loom. In 1693 one was given Francis Poussot for weaving silk crepe. In fact, the influx of the Huguenot weavers in 1685 fairly established that branch of the trade.

There was as yet no thoroughly successful mill for throwing or twisting silk in England. But in 1718 John Lombe, of Derby, went to Italy and got a job in the guise of a common laborer in one of the great Italian silk throwing mills, besides bribing two workmen to let him in after hours. He studied the process, made drawings of the machines by night, and corrected them again from his observations in the mill. The three were discovered and he escaped to a ship at port of his life. On his return to England, he built the first great silk throwing mill there.

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In France

In France the silkworm was known and experimented with several centuries before its culture was successful there. It is believed that the first white mulberry tree to be planted in France, was brought from Syria by Gualape de St. Aubon, on his return from the second Crusade about 1147 A. D. It was planted near Montreuil and, what seems very remarkable, was still standing in 1810.

The weaving of silk seems to have been begun in Lyons and Tours not long after 1200. There was, however, no silk as yet produced there. In 1480 Louis XI brought silkworms from Genoa, Venice and Florence, which were then under his power.

Charles VIII in 1494 renewed the effort to raise mulberry trees. In 1521 Francis I brought a large number of silk weavers from Milan, which was then held by France, to Lyons, and also attempted to grow mulberry trees.

The first nursery of white mulberry trees was set up by Francois I at Nimes, in 1561, but was only partially successful. In 1603 Henry IV (of Navarre) really established sericulture in France. He brought Olivier de Serres, who was experienced in the industry to his aid, and the people were encouraged to raise both mulberry trees and silk worms. Their first attempts, however, failed because the intricacies of the culture were not widely enough understood. The worms died, the cocoons were pierced, and the whole attempt seemed about to end in disaster, but Henry IV established his own nursery, under experienced silk growers, and through their careful attention soon produced an abundance of silk. Instructors were supplied for the people, who, when they saw a successful example before them, again took up the culture. The experiments at this time cost 1,500,000 francs, but established the industry.

Colbert, the chief minister under Louis XIV, also did a great deal for the development of silk culture, and the textures of Lyons and Tours became famous.

The industry was, however, hard hit by the revocation of the edict of Nantes in 1685. This drove some 400,000 Huguenots from France, many thousand of whom were engaged in the production and weaving of silk. It is said to have reduced the working looms of Lyons from 15,000 to 4,000, and at Tours from 11,000 to 2,000.

In America

The story of the silk industry in America exhibits every phase from the wildest speculation to the utmost failure in one of its branches, and from the crudest beginnings to the most splendid success in another.

The first effort in America toward silk production, was when James I tried to compel the planters of Virginia to stop the cultivation of tobacco, and go to raising mulberry trees and silk worms to supply raw silk for the English factories. In 1623 it was decreed that any Virginian planter should be fined 10 lbs. if he did not cultivate at least ten mulberry trees for each hundred acres of his estate.

The raising of silk worms was encouraged in 1657 when the Virginia assembly offered 10,000 pounds of tobacco to any planter who should export 200 pounds worth of raw silk or cocoons in a single year; 5,000 pounds of tobacco to anyone producing 1,000 pounds of raw silk; or 4,000 pounds of tobacco to anyone producing silk exclusively.

The bounty was withdrawn in 1666 and renewed in 1669, but it was never claimed.

The fact was, that silk culture was not profitable in comparison with the raising of tobacco. It suffered from bad weaving, unevenly throwing or twisting, and inadequate cleaning. It was the policy of Parliament not to encourage the manufacture of silk in the Colonies, but only the raising, and the little silk cloth made was fuzzy, stiff and of poor color and lustre.

In Georgia, in 1732, a nursery of white mulberry plants was set out, and a clergyman experienced in silk culture was sent there to instruct the colonists. Land was given to settlers who would plant 100 mulberry trees for each 10 acres. In 1736 eight pounds of raw silk were sent to England and there thrown, woven and presented to the Queen. Parliament, in 1749, exempted silk produced in Georgia or Carolina from duty. In the same year a flax mill for reeling silk from the cocoons was built in Savannah in order to overcome the difficulty the individual growers had with this operation.

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HABES ARE FREED BY COURT

Charges of Kidnapping Sister Are Dismissed.

H. H. Morgan, 16, of Cincinnati, who attempted to kidnap his sister, Clara, after leaving the state charged that the trial court erred in not giving him time to appear in court to defend himself. Morgan, the plaintiff in the case, said he had been held at the Cincinnati county jail for 10 days without being allowed to see his lawyer. He said he was held because he had no money to pay his lawyer's fees. The trial court had ruled that he could not be released until he had paid his lawyer \$100.

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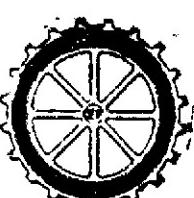
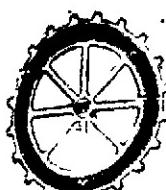
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This Is ROTARY'S Birthday

Rotary is an organization composed of business and professional men, each of whom earnestly desire to grow in capability for service.

Rotary's Motto Is:

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

The word "profit," as used in the motto, is not profit in its popular sense, meaning pecuniary gain, but is the gain in character which the one who serves receives as he develops into a bigger, broader, better, and more useful member of society.

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In sixteen years, Rotary has grown to a membership of sixty-five thousand and is represented in more than eight hundred cities in five continents. Membership in Rotary has always been restricted to one member from each distinctive business or profession (although occasionally one additional representative from the same firm is permitted). This membership restriction is one of Rotary's greatest advantages. The varied membership secured in this way provides the widest possible number of viewpoints for the consideration of business and community questions.

The only obligations imposed by Rotary are: the maintenance of high business standards, a militant good citizenship, an unswerving loyalty to one's Government, attendance at meetings, active participation in movements fathered by the Club, and active membership in craft, civic, charitable and commercial organizations.

Rotary Seeks: The Betterment of the individual member.

The Betterment of his business (both practically and ideally).

The Betterment of his craft as a whole.

The Betterment of his home, town, state, and country.

Rotary's Relation to Community Service

The duty of Rotarians to their community is briefly put in the injunction: "Be a good citizen." Rotary Clubs continually survey the field of community life, in order to ascertain Rotary's opportunity for service. As a general rule, the manifestation of Rotary's interest in community service work is expressed through the individual Rotarian's activity in the various local civic, charitable and commercial organizations.

Where these organizations are functioning well, it is a Rotarian's duty to work with the officers of the various local organizations in the accomplishment of their objects. Where it happens that any of the worth-while community service organizations are inefficient or have become inactive, it is the Rotarian's duty to work with his fellow members in such organization to make it thoroughly efficient and active in carrying out the purpose for which it was organized.

Many organizations have been strengthened and their spheres of usefulness enlarged through the activity of men who received inspiration in the Rotary Club.

Individual Rotarians in the various craft associations have aided in the formation and adoption of higher business standards.

Frequent public acknowledgment has been given by city officials and by the press for the assistance rendered local organization and local community movements by Rotarians.

There are specific instances, however, where service to the community demands that the Rotary Club shall act collectively, namely:

1. Where there is the need of a particular service for which there is no regularly established organization.
2. Where there is the need for a service which does not properly belong to any other existing organizations.

In both of such instances, the Rotary Club assumes the duty and works for the accomplishment of the service. With this limitation on concerted Rotary action so clearly defined, it is apparent that Chambers of Commerce and other local civic or charitable organizations need have no fear that Rotary will ever attempt to usurp any of their chosen functions.

As a few examples of collective Rotary action, note:

1. War-time services for the soldiers and sailors at home, en route, in the camps, and abroad. The British Rotary Clubs acted as hosts to the American and Canadian Expeditionary Forces quartered in the British Isles.
2. Organized efforts against vice in the territory surrounding Army cantonments in the Fit-to-Fight Campaign in the United States.
3. Activity of all Rotary Clubs in Boys' Work supplementing the local agencies in new needs, new work, or emergency services. Aside from these distinctly club activities, every Rotarian is urged to assist all worthy Boys' Work organizations and movements. Rotary considers Boys' Work one of its greatest opportunities for service.
4. The "Cross at Crossings" Campaign inaugurated to save pedestrians from injury or death at Philadelphia, Pa.
5. The Rotary Club acting for the United States Government as sales agents of excess Government food stock in the campaign against the high cost of living in Wheeling, W. Va.
6. Supplying crippled children of the poor with medical attention, artificial arms and legs, in Lima, Toledo and other Ohio towns.
7. Creating cordial relations and better understanding between the city man and the farmer at Vincennes, Ind., etc., etc., etc., etc.

As regards the relation between capital and labor, or, more properly expressed, as the Relation between Employers and Employees, it is the duty of every Rotarian to "set his own house in order"; that is, to establish intimate, friendly and cordial relations between the management and the employees. Hundreds of Rotarians have done this, and, assisted by Committees from among the employees, have worked out more equitable distributions of the profits, splendid welfare plans for the employees and their families, and a wonderful spirit of co-operation.

It is not Rotary's function to attempt to solve the questions of "open shop," wage scales, hours of labor, etc.

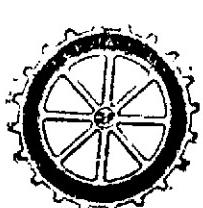
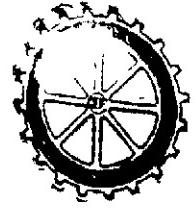
The Rotary Club does not act as a collecting agency for the raising of money for charitable or community needs, but it inspires its members to serve on Committees organized for this purpose. Rotarians were active on all war-time and Liberty Loan drives. No worthy money-raising campaign ever lacks the assistance of Rotarians.

Rotary rarely expresses itself through resolutions, nor do the local Clubs confine their actions on community matters to the mere passing of resolutions. When it does occur that an expression of opinion by resolution is necessary, Rotarian precedent requires that Rotary get behind the resolution and work to accomplish what it endorses.

Rotary is a non-partisan parliament. All subjects on which the respective political parties have taken sides, or on which the community has a divided interest, may be thoroughly discussed before and by the Clubs, but cannot properly be put to a vote to determine partisan Club action. The settlement of such questions naturally belongs to the local civic associations, in which the Rotarian members, equipped with complete and accurate knowledge of the issue, discussions in the Club, take action in accordance with their convictions.

Ask a Rotarian To Tell You About Rotary

ROTARY CLUB OF LIMA



MT. VERNON AND WOODWARD TECH, TOLEDO, WIN TOURNEY

OUSTED WHITE SOX PLAYER BELIEVES HE HAS BEEN "BLACK BALLED"—CRESCENTS TO PLAY COLUMBUS GROVE MAROONS THURSDAY

HERZOG APPEALS TO HEYDLER SEEKING ANOTHER CHANCE

BY HENRY L. FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent).

NEW YORK—Charley Herzog, released unconditionally from the Chicago Cubs recently Saturday sought an audience with John A. Heydler, president of the National League, to learn why he cannot "get work" in the league.

"Tractically every team in the league needs an infielder—especially Philadelphia and Cincinnati, and yet, I'm facing the closed gate. I want to know the reason why," Herzog said.

He admitted that his "game was off" last season but blamed it to physical ailments, which he claims have been cured by an operation.

"I put the proposition up to two managers to take me south with them, at no expense to them and see what I do," he said. "All I ask is a contract if I convince them I can still play," he said.

HAS MADE OFFERS

Herzog has had two berths offered him in the American Association, two in the Pacific Coast League and a managerial position in the International League if Newark is able to buy the Akron franchise.

"I want to play in the National League to clear my name, above all things," he declared.

IS HE BLACK BALLED?

Herzog believes he has been black balled by the club owners as a result of the tale Rubie Benton told last summer that Herzog had offered him \$800 to throw a game against the Cubs in Chicago. Herzog denies it and claims Benton did it out of revenge for some trouble they had on the Cincinnati club.

Heydler says the league holds nothing against Herzog and that he was released from the Chicago Cubs because the management thought he could not play well enough for the \$19,000 salary he had been getting. The Cub officials say the same thing.

HARRIS ASKS TO REJOIN INDIANS

CLEVELAND—Joe Harris, former Cleveland American League hard-hitting first baseman, wants to rejoin the Indians.

Writing to Catcher Steve O'Neill, Harris said:

"I want to play with the Indians again this year. See what you can do for me."

UP TO BOARD

O'Neill referred the letter to James C. Dunn, president of the local club, who said that he was powerless to aid Harris in returning to organized baseball and that Joe would have to make his petition to Judge Landis and the new advisory board.

Harris held out for a larger salary a year ago and when Dunn declined to meet the demands he signed up with a Franklin, Pa., independent team, with whom he played last year.

MICHIGAN IS AFTER NEW ATHLETES

ANN ARBOR—Altho the loss of Carl Johnson, Baker, Beardiley and Cross, outstanding track stars last year, will be keenly felt this season, coaches at the University of Michigan are conducting daily practice in an effort to whip into shape a point winning team for 1921.

Crosshairs and spurts are being grouped to fill the places of Johnson and Beardiley in the hurdles. Stipe and other members of the football squad are showing promise of making up the loss of Baker in the weight events, while Weshbrook and Slaughter are said by coaches to be fit candidates for the place of Cross in the pole vault. Michigan is pinning its hope on Walker in the high jump.

MAJOR IN DASHES

Michigan expects to make its best showing in the dashes and quarter mile. Losch, Shimmins and Harvey form the backbone of the sprinters and for the quarter mile Captain Butler, Wetzel, Joyner and Wheeler are available. Michigan also expects to develop a good two-mile squad.

Michigan's track classic this year will be the meet with Cornell to be held here.

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SLOW MAKING PLANS FOR TOURNEY

Plans are being rounded into shape for the staging here within a few weeks of a county basketball tournament under auspices of the Y. M. C. A. with Physical Director Maxwell in charge.

No date has yet been decided upon, pending the return of Coach Derrick, of Central, and Coach Young, of South, from Delaware. They're two members of a committee named by Maxwell to help him map out details.

It is likely that two divisions will be formed; one a high school, and the other independent.

PENN IS TO SEND TEAM TO ILLINI

URBANA, III.—The crack relay team of the University of Pennsylvania is expected to be one of the strongest contenders for honors here in the University of Illinois relay carnival here March 5.

Earl Eby, one of the fastest middle-distance men in the country, and winner of second place in the 800-meter run at the Olympic games last year, will be a member of the Quaker relay team. Eby has also been entered in the special events.

Bob Macam, another Pennsylvanian, will be watched with interest. He was credited last year with a mark of 48 4-5 in the 440 yard event.

AMES IS FAVORITE

Ames, with the same relay team, that won the four mile race in last year's relay meet, rules favorite in the long grind. The Hawkeye runners will also enter the 2-mile relay race, and, judging from their early performances, are expected to finish near the front.

Illinois has a great collection of milers that are capable of furnishing any team a hard race. In Wharton, Yates, McGinnis, Allman and Louisberry, Coach Gill has some of the fastest long distance runners in the Western Conference. Yates who won the Conference last year, has had a hard time in keeping ahead of McGinnis and Wharton in the early practice trials.

MANY HIGH JUMPERS

The high jump is expected to bring out some spirited competition. Alberts, an Illinois jumper, who took the measure of Murphy of Notre Dame, holder of the national high jump championship, in a recent dual meet, clearing the bar at 6 feet, 3 1/2 inches, will meet Murphy again in the Relay Carnival and the event may bring forth a record performance.

Osborne of Illinois, and Ely of Earlham College, Ohio, who tied for the Conference high jump, will also help make the event interesting, as both have jumped over 6 feet, 2 inches.

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Jesus, quoting the Prophet Daniel said, "Then shall be great tribulations, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be, and except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved; but for the elects sake these days shall be shortened." Matthew 24; 21, 22.

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ARMY LOSES TO NAVY FIVE

ANNAPOLES—Navy won the second annual basketball game from Army here today 45 to 29. The Middies team work was superior.

LEAGUE CARD IS CHANGED BY BOSS

CHICAGO—Several changes in the American League schedule, which was released Feb. 12, were announced Saturday because of the circuit did not balance.

The three cities affected are Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

The changes follow:

AT WASHINGTON

Philadelphia's second series has been reduced from five to four games, by the elimination of July 1.

Boston was originally scheduled on September 10 and 11. This has been changed to Sept. 9 and 10.

Philadelphia is at Washington on Sept. 11.

AT PHILADELPHIA

Detroit is scheduled into Philadelphia on its last trip Sept. 16 and Sept. 17 (two games).

St. Louis takes Detroit's original dates in that city and is scheduled in Philadelphia on Sept. 19, 20, 21 and 22.

AT NEW YORK

Philadelphia is scheduled in New York on July 5, an open date in both the American and National League schedules.

St. Louis' second trip into New York is made a four game series by including the date of July 36.

Sept. 8 with Boston is eliminated.

Boston is scheduled into New York Sept. 11, instead of Philadelphia.

St. Louis finishes its final games in New York on Sept. 16 and 17.

Detroit is scheduled Sept. 18, 19 and 21, Sept. 22, originally scheduled with St. Louis, is eliminated.

SEVEN ROOKIES LEAVE TODAY

NEW YORK—Seven Giant rookies, first vanguard of McGraw's forces, will leave here Sunday for the 1919 world series.

McGraw will join the squad next week arriving directly from Cuba.

MANY GAMES CARDED BY CHI SOX

CHICAGO—The old Roman of baseball will not give up. In an effort to rebuild shattered Sox line-up, caused by suspension of eight of its regulars, as the result of alleged conspiracy to throw the 1919 world series, Charles Comiskey has mapped out a strenuous training campaign.

There will be few idle moments from the time the White Sox set foot on Texas soil until the close of the training period.

PLAY EVERY DAY

Practice contests going nine innings will be played every day at Waukechuck between the regulars led by Manager Gleason and the Goofs, headed by John Collins, veteran outfielder.

Fourteen contests have been booked with Texas clubs.

The Sox meet but one major league team on the training jaunt—the Cincinnati Reds, implicated in the 1919 conspiracy—who are booked to play at Fort Worth.

Bob Lewis at present is ill, but is

expected to be in shape by Thursday night. Tuesday night the Crescents play at Vaughnsville. With them they will be the Garfield girls to play the Vaughnsville girls.

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BOTH TEAMS WILL SCRAP FOR HONORS AGAIN ON MARCH 12

BY BILL CUNNINGHAM

(Lima News Staff Correspondent)

DELAWARE—At the close of the thirteenth annual high school basketball tournament, Mt. Vernon and Woodward Tech, of Cleveland, won the two final games here Saturday.

Mt. Vernon defeated Cleveland Lincoln, 30 to 15, while Woodward Tech trounced their home-town contenders, Scott Hi, score of 22 to 11.

These two winners return to Delaware March 12, when will meet the winners of the southern division which plays next Friday and Saturday.

The game between Mt. Vernon and Woodward Tech proved to be slow and draggy. The Clevelanders outplayed entirely, and at no time was Mt. Vernon in danger of losing.

There was excitement aplenty the two Toledo teams played. The first half ended, 6 to 7 in favor of Woodward Tech. A short after the whistle blew for the

RESULTS OF GAME PLAYED SATURDAY

Following are the results games played Saturday in northern division of the state high school basketball tournament at Delaware:

JAP COLLEGE SENDS TEAM TO U.S.

ST. ROSE GRADES HAVE TEAMS

The St. Rose seventh grade basketball team went down to defeat Saturday in a game against the St. Rose sixth grade team in their own gymnasium. Score was 9 to 7.
Line-ups:
Seventh Grade Sixth Grade
Sweeney F. Edwards
O'Connor F. Hanley
Miller C. McGreavy
Murphy G. Madigan
Brennan G. Cook
Substitutes—Hanley for Madigan; Brown for Cook.

NEW TEAM TO MAKE BOW MONDAY

The C. O. Foresters basketball quintet will play the Wapak Bearcats at the St. Rose auditorium gymnasium Monday night, in what is expected to be a good, scrappy, fast game.

Not much has been heard of the Foresters here this season, due in most part to their schedule calling for all of their games to be played on foreign floors.

HAVE FAST CREW
The Bearcat aggregation consists of the select basketball players of Wapakoneta, and in recent games they have been piling up high scores against their opponents.

A. T. Falk, manager of the Foresters, said Saturday night that their line-up consists of himself and Goodrich, forwards; J. Cashman, center, and Tobin and Quillin, guards.

TO IN-TIDE EAST

Considering this schedule the Waseda nine will go East to play against tenatively arranged games with its eastern colleges. It plans one for a third game with Chicago on June 1. The two succeeding weeks will be devoted to games with Indiana and Ohio, the tour concluding with a game at the University of Michigan.

Plans for entertainment of the Japanese team while in Chicago are being negotiated by Prof Merrifield and the Japanese consul, assisted by a former Waseda student. A number of functions will be arranged by the University in honor of the Japs.

WAYNESFIELD WINS CAGE TOURNEY

The Auglaize co. high school basketball tournament which ended Saturday was won by the Waynesfield school. The Waynesfield girls topped honors in the division, placing under rules used by the

Waukesha, the a small town, basketball team, of which every person in the community is proud. They have defeated many teams this year, and as the season draws nearer to a close they are going strong and are entertainments next year.

Not a persons turned out to view the tourney.

DESCAMPS TO FIGHT CUNY MARCH 18

NEW YORK—Francois Descamps, manager of Georges Carpenter's, fighter at Park Dempsey for the heavyweight championship, is going to a fight fighting himself.

According to Sporting Life (London), the dapper little manager of Frenchmen is to return to the ring in Paris on March 18, in a big fight show for the families of boxers who fell in the war. His opponent will be Fernand Cuny, well-known "profes" or manager of Paris.

Carpenter will act as his manager.

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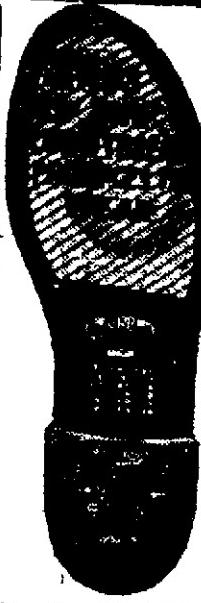
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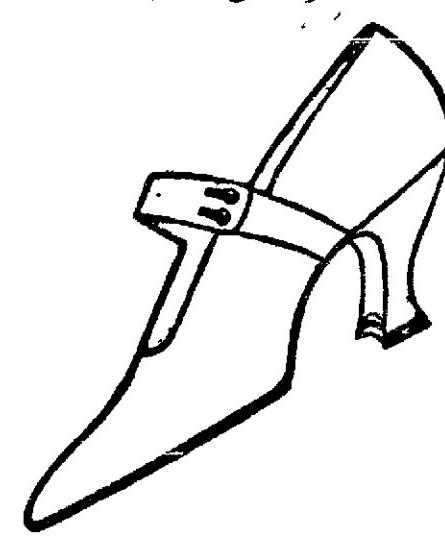
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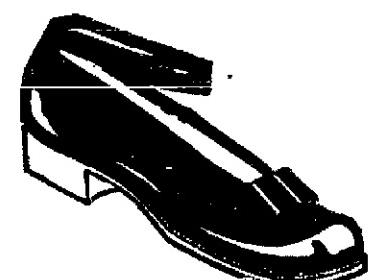
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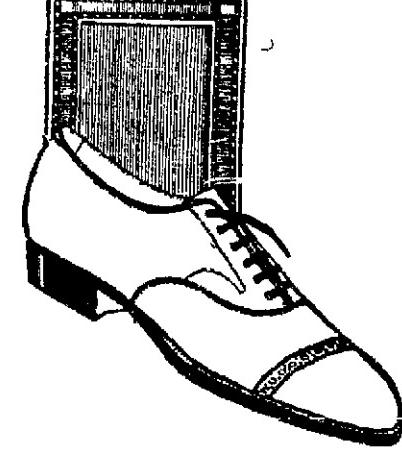
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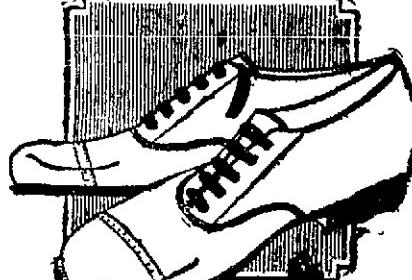
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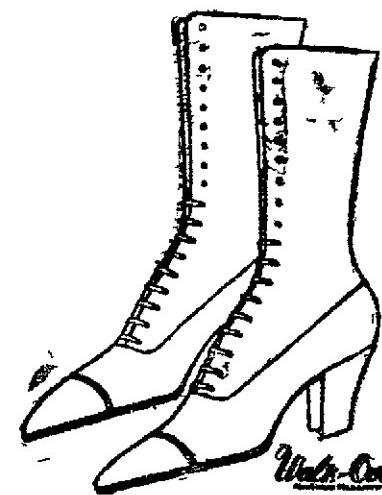
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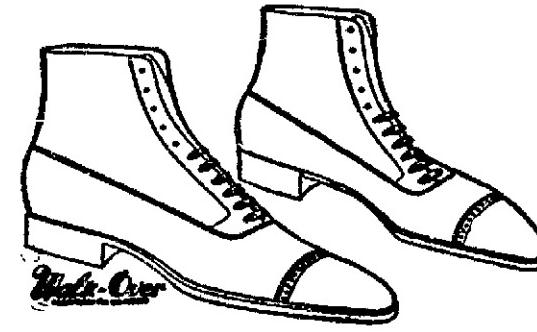
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WEDDING OF
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COUPLEMrs Lucille Knisely Becomes the
Bride of Floyd M. Reub
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Goes to Future Home Near
Chillicothe

SATURDAY morning at 10 o'clock a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mortimer Williams, W. North-st, when Rev. Walter D. Cole read the service uniting in marriage their charming and attractive daughter Miss Lucille Knisely and Floyd M. Reub, of Kingston, Ohio. Mrs. Ralph Woods, Mrs. college room-mate of the bride sang sweetly, "At Dawn," while Carl Criles, sister of the bride, at the piano softly accompanying her. The rooms were made most attractive with palms and a profusion of pink roses, an altar being formed of palms and roses. The bride was lovely in mid-night blue satin dress trimmed in ecru lace and her corsage was composed of pink buds and lilies of the valley.

Following the ceremony the guests repaired to the dining room where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served. The room was prettily decorated in pink and white, a large basket of pink roses centering the table and large cathedral candles tied with white tulles furnished a soft, mellow light. Three little maids, Misses Imogene Baer, Elizabeth Green and Frances Christen, garbed in dainty white dresses, served. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Out of town guests were Mrs. P. McCullough, Lancaster, sister of the groom; Frank Jamison, Cincinnati, and Miss Jeanette Knisely, a student at Ohio Wesleyan university.

Mr. and Mrs. Reub motored to Columbus Saturday morning where they will remain for several days. They will then leave for their future home near Chillicothe where Mr. Reub will be engaged in business. The bride's going away costume was a navy blue tricotine suit and a fur coat. Her hat was black and was very effectively trimmed in lace.

The bride is a graduate of Lima Central high school. She also graduated from Ohio Wesleyan in 1919, receiving the Phi Beta Kappa honor. For the past year and a half she was engaged as one of the gymnastic instructors at the Central high school. Mrs. Reub will be greatly missed by her many friends in this city as she is one of Lima's most popular young girls.

Mr. Reub graduated from Ohio Wesleyan university where romance which culminated in marriage began. He is a member of the Chi Phi fraternity. During his college career he specialized in agriculture, which he now expects to pursue exclusively.

The L. D. C. club met with Mrs. Frank Dakell Thursday and enjoyed the day with her, a delicious covered dish dinner being served at noon and the afternoon being occupied in needlework. Members present were Madeline Beach, Moorman, Farrell, Gibson, Schwart, Wolf, Ferguson, Staneyer, Wittaker, East, Miss Nellie Albrecht and Miss Violet Staneyer.

Guests were Miss Miller and Mrs. Walter Augsburger.

In compliment to Miss Katherine Gramm and Ralph Shrider Miss Harry Warfield invited a few guests to her home on W. Wayne-st Friday for an evening of bridge. At the conclusion of the evening the hostess served a dainty lunch.

Guests were Miss Katherine Gramm, Willard, Harry Strasburg, Ralph Shrider, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Breece.

Mrs. H. F. Spyker and daughter Barbara returned to this city Saturday after residing in Nowata, Oklahoma, for a number of months. They will make their home here for the present.

MISS GRAMM, A BRIDE-TO-BE



Miss Katherine Gramm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gramm, whose marriage to Ralph Shrider, son and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shrider, will be solemnized at the home of her parents, S. Cole-st, Wednesday at high noon. The Rev. Walter D. Cole will read the nuptials and about 100 invitations have been issued for the ceremony.

Mrs. Frank Komminisk extended the hospitality of her beautiful home to the members of the Missionary society of the Market-st Presbyterian church Wednesday for their last regular meeting. The program arranged for the Federated Missions and used at the "day of prayer" service was in charge of Mrs. W. B. McClaren and given as follows: "Remarks and Responsive Reading," Mrs. McClaren; "The Church," Mrs. J. E. Summers; "Home and Foreign Missions," Mrs. Louis McDonald; "Young Leaders," Mrs. Samuel Huecker. Mrs. McDonald introduced Miss Hazel Bartlet, the new community worker on the south side. Miss Bartlet in a very interesting manner gave an outline of her work and the great need in her sphere which inspired the society to take up an offering on behalf of the worthy cause.

An election of officers followed with Mrs. R. T. Gregg re-elected president; Mrs. W. A. Campbell re-elected vice-president; Mrs. Samuel Huecker, second vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Summers, secretary to succeed Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, Miss Frances Metzger treasurer to succeed Mrs. Harry Robinson; Mrs. W. B. McClaren, secretary of literature to succeed Mrs. Louise McDonald; Mrs. J. E. Dexter re-elected pianist. A social hour was enjoyed and Mrs. B. F. Thomas and committee served refreshments.

Many of the women's clubs will not hold their regular meetings next week because they will be in attendance at a series of addresses to be given by the noted writer and lecturer Dr. Ewing L. House who will speak every afternoon at 3 o'clock and every evening at 8 o'clock during the week at the Market-st Presbyterian church. Dr. House is a Harvard graduate and also graduated from Boston university.

As an informal course, to Mrs. Minnie D. Curless, special art teacher at South high school, the faculty of that school entertained with a pleasant gathering at the school Friday. The evening was enjoyed socially and Mrs. Curless was presented a very dainty gift. Easter Sunday, Mrs. Curless will come the bride of E. L. Haines, Chicago.

Misses Marguerite and Cora Krein, W. North-st are the guests of friends in Defiance over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams, S. Cole-st entertained at dinner Thursday evening honoring Mr. Sawinsky, New York.

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Mrs. Jennie Brosey, 623 S. Central, welcomed members of the Twilight club to her home. Thursday evening the evening was spent social and a delicious supper was served before guests departed for their home. Meetings in the future will be held on Wednesdays it was decided.

Enjoying Mrs. Brosey's hospitalities were: Mrs. Ella Newland, Mrs. Anna Roop, Mrs. Mae Plate, Mrs. Gus Cole, Miss Ethel Glazco, Mrs. Julia Glazco, Mrs. Blanch White, Miss Nell, was united in marriage to J. M. Moffett with Rev. Baker officiating.

The bride was lovely in a pink satin dress and her corsage was composed of roses, sweet-peas and violets. Miss Helen Graham as maid of honor was gowned in a pretty yellow satin dress and her corsage was of pink roses and sweet peas. The bridegroom was attended by Walter Aures, Cleveland, brother of the bride. Mrs. John Tohly played most delightfully the wedding music.

Immediately following the ceremony the guests were invited into the dining room where an elaborate dinner was served. Centering the table was a wedding cake and at either side was a beautiful basket of pink tulips and white hyacinths. Ferns and other flowers were effectively used throughout the rooms and pink candles in crystal holders tied with pink and white tulle furnished illumination throughout the dinner hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Moffett will reside at the home of the bride's parents for the present.

"The True Blues," an organized class of Market-st. Presbyterian Sunday School, held their monthly meeting at the home of the teacher, Mrs. W. B. McLaren, S. Baxter-st. Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The following officers were chosen: Miss Mary Kerr, president; Miss Meredith Shiffler; Miss Mary Beery, secretary; Miss Elizabeth Douglas, treasurer, and Miss Hazel Van Gunter, cheer leader. The motto adopted was a splendid one, "Praise loudly, blame softly." After the serving of a two course luncheon by the hostess the class adjourned to attend the lecture at the high school auditorium.

Members are Misses Mary Beery, Mary Kerr, Meredith Shiffler, Juanita Barth, Lida Buchanan, Frances Lou Cunningham, Elizabeth Douglass, Bertha Edman, Phyllis Embry, Martha Altschul, Madeline Kellogg, Helen Wildoner, Charlotte Sherwood, Martha Laughlin, Virginia Mosher, Katherine Moulton, Bernadine Shemek, Hazel Van Gunter and Margaret Wallace.

About 200 were in attendance at an enjoyable Washington Birthday party given by Progress Council No. 2488, S. B. A. Thursday evening in Odd Fellows' hall. The affair served a dual purpose, in that it was the 25th anniversary of the organization. Many were dressed in pretty costumes, significant of the occasion. Mr. Doffett, president, was garbed as George Washington while Mrs. C. Asternar represented Martha Washington. An entertaining program was one of the main features. The first number was a recitation by Miss Helen Brown. Misses Lalia and Frances Rook followed with a dialogue. Delightful music was furnished by the women's orchestra and a playlet was presented by the committee in charge. A recitation was given by Jack Fry.

Mercy Circle of King's Daughter's will hold an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. E. H. Palmer, 450 S. Franklin-st. Wednesday. Mrs. C. C. Sallan and Mrs. Nelson Shook will act as assistant hostesses.

Mrs. George Daniels and Mrs. J. Robertson will be hostesses to the members of the Community Service club to an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Daniel, 631 S. West-st. Wednesday.

Mrs. F. J. Sawmiller, Elida, entertained a few guests Thursday evening at her home to announce the engagement of her sister, Miss Thelma Herriff to Carroll D. Wright, Center-st. At 6 o'clock an elaborate dinner was served and each of the guests was presented with a heart shaped favor in pink and white which revealed the secret. Miss Herriff was presented with a lovely casrolo dish.

Guests were: Misses Mary Curry, Blanche Wisterman, Margaret Fisher, Rose Dimond and the honor guest.

A movie demonstrating the life of the Japanese girl has been arranged for the Twilight Hour at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon. The picture is in charge of Industrial Secretary Biddle at the Y. M. C. A., and will be shown between 4:15 and 5 o'clock. Miss Mary Garford, physical director at the Y. W. C. A., will have charge of the remainder of the program.

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An appetizing little lunch followed amidst impromptu music. At midnight the guests departed bidding the honor guests a reluctant farewell for they will be greatly missed in this city.

Entre-Nous Sewing club will meet with Miss LaVera Kohler, 510 W. Elm-st. Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members requested to be present and to bring their sewing.

Miss Emma and Charles Strayer, DeGraff, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. R. O. Bigley, W. Market-st. Mr. Strayer will remain over the weekend but Miss Strayer will continue her visit.

Keemar club will meet with Mrs. T. G. Myers, 1136 Richelle-ave, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. M. Leonard is entertaining as her house guest, Mrs. Colett Springer, Pt. Clinton. Mrs. Leonard and Mrs. Springer were college chums.

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In the twinkling of the eye the garden took on added beauty and became a bower with a windowed balcony from which Juliet impersonated by Mrs. B. H. Holmes poured forth her longings in answer to passionate pleadings of Romeo in the person of Mr. Flickinger, Bluffton College, who looked the part in his handsome doublet and hose with all necessary accessories. Recently their operatic excerpts were given before the Woman's Music club and so much enjoyed that a second hearing was a privilege indeed for if anything they were better done, particularly the last due for Mrs. Holmes' voice while not a strong one, seemed just the voice for Shakespeare's heroines and her acting was most dramatic with Mr. Flickinger making a splendid support.

Following this Ralph Mackenzie gave three delightful numbers from "Rigoletto" as sung by the greatest artists of our times, the Victoria being the medium thru which the music reached his hearers, his own word pictures helping to transport everyone to the Ducal palace where the scenes took place. One delightful feature of the singing or a group of songs by one of the Bluffton college faculty, Prof. Lehman. One tuneful song being a southern song, the first American song written in America. Then an awakening song was "The Gypsy," the words written by Mr. Cable to whom the words were written. This Mr. Lehman sang with delightful abandon and dash, showing it would be a song that will probably become a favorite for concert singers.

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Members of the Art Study club delightfully entertained at luncheon at the Elks' home Saturday for the pleasure of the members of the Wyandot Art Club of Defiance. William Sawitsky, art representative from New York City, was present and gave a very interesting informal talk to the visiting guests who came especially to attend the exhibit of paintings at the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

The first was from Madame Butcherly with Mrs. Fred Gooding and Mrs. John Carnes in charming oriental robes with their hair exquisitely adorned. In the scene baby trouble was adorably taken by Little Catherine Ann Gooding. Never have these two popular singers scored a greater success for they were at their very best.

Guests from Defiance were Mrs. Clara B. Bell, Mrs. T. B. Johnson, Mrs. H. B. Harris, Mrs. F. W. Mansfield, Mrs. Edward Squires, Mrs. Holgate Harley, Mrs. Richard Sutphen and Miss Irene Wolsfifer.

Hawatha Girls' Reserve club of Junior Central high school enjoyed a hike to McBeth park Saturday. They were chaperoned by Mrs. E. G. Weadock. The girls received instructions in the building and keeping of camp fires. They were also given valuable hints in camp fire cooking. This hike was only one of the many interesting and enjoyable affairs which this newly organized club has planned.

Miss Lorette Kelly was hostess to the members of the DuPont club Tuesday. In a clever contest Miss Anna Riley was successful. Guests were Misses Rita Doyle, Margaret Malley and Margaret Finn. At a late hour a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

The club will meet in two weeks with Miss Marcella Feltz, Home-Acres.

Swastika club will meet with J. H. Kenyon, 111 W. Circular-st. Monday afternoon.

Round Table will meet with Mrs. J. W. Sullivan and Mrs. Paisie Blackburn, 549 W. Spring-st. Monday afternoon at 2:00 p.m.

Good Cheer class of the Market-st. Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. James Eger, 745 Brice-ave, Friday evening.

Mrs. George Eckert has arranged for a 1 o'clock luncheon for the pleasure of the members of the Encore club, Saturday.

Wednesday an entertainment will be given at the Memorial hall by El Karan Grotto for all Masons and their families. Entertainment will consist of musical selection, playlets and sketches. Dancing and refreshments will follow.

Ladies' Aid of Bethany Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. O. A. Looker, 720 E. Franklin-st. Wednesday afternoon.

Young People's society of the First reformed church will meet Wednesday evening at the church after the mid-week services.

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Charlotte Greenwood, in "Linger Longer Letty," Here Monday Night.

The Marcus Show Comes Saturday—Otis Skinner in Play of Mystery and Thrills

THERE are some people on the stage, with their number is exceedingly small, who have the ability of successfully conducting, almost unaided, an evening's entertainment. Charlotte Greenwood is one of them. Miss Greenwood is a natural comedienne and in addition, nature has given her a peculiar anatomy in the way of elongated arms and legs, which she utilizes in her work most effectively. Miss Greenwood will be seen in her new musical comedy, "Linger Longer Letty" at the Faurot Monday night.

The story is written around a number of sisters. Letty is the family drudge. She does the cooking, the mending and the general housework, while the others devote their abundant leisure to enjoying themselves. Finally Letty strikes and gives out that she is coming in for some fun. She has looked with favor on a young man who is a neighbor, but her affection is not returned. Another neighbor named Jim has just returned from the naval service, a tall lanky chap, on whom none of the girls will bestow a second look. The two agree to dress up and make themselves more presentable, with the result that all the girls run after Jim and the boys after Letty. Finally the two conspirators fall in love with each other, which gives excellent opportunity for some rich comedy. Miss Greenwood is seen to better advantage than in her former success, "So Long, Letty." She is surrounded by a company of pretty girls who are seen in the 14 musical numbers throughout the play. Oliver Morosco can always be relied upon to give us the best company and production and "Linger Longer, Letty" will be seen here exactly as it was presented in New York City.

Faurot—"The Marcus Show"

The Marcus Show of next Saturday afternoon and night, carries a special orchestra. Several of these appear on the stage while the remainder aid the local orchestra in playing the delightful score which was composed by Charles Abbott.

Prominent in the big harlequinade are Oliver and Maria Vespa who head the Royal Italian Accordionists, a troupe of Neapolitan instrumentalists, who have won great fame in their own land and come now for their first tour of America under the direction of Impressario Marcus.

No little credit for the entertainment value of the Marcus Show of 1920 should go to Charles Abbott from whose fertile brain emanated the words and music. Mr. Abbott enjoys the gift of composing light, airy melodies that make the jazz enthusiast shake and shiver while not offending the ear of the lover of real music.

"Smile With Me," "Good Bye, Each Smile," "Dixie I Love You," "Salvation Army Girl," "Lingerie," "Bugsy," "Classy Clothes," "Bathing Beaches," "How to Reduce," "Anybody Want a Baby?" "Under the Sea" and "Oh! Baby! Glides" are some of the twenty-seven song numbers which Mr. Abbott has supplied.

With few exceptions each of the musical numbers serves as excuse for the decorative and topnotch presence of the celebrated Marcus Peaches.

Vocally Misses Bee Winsome, Charlotte Allen, Florence Lawrence, Ruth Dale, Edna Quirk, Misses Billy

Dale, Mike Sacks, Charles Abbott, Bob Alexander and Harry Bailey will be heard to advantage.

Otis Skinner Coming

Imagine Otis Skinner in a new play.



Charlotte Greenwood in "Linger Longer Letty" at the Faurot Opera House Monday night.

one of mystery and thrills, with gripping and sustained suspense, and a most charming love story—playing the role of a great French detective, something he has never attempted before in his long and brilliant career. This is the double reason why the advent of America's foremost actor, after an absence of several seasons, is creating much pleasurable anticipation. The charm of the actor's personality and his genius would fit any character, however mediocre, to the heights. But Manaud, the greatest detective in all France, is a gentleman, traveled, educated, keen witted, sympathetic, imperturbable, possessing an analytical mind that is a terror to evil doers. The play in question is called "At the Villa Rose," a mystery play by that famous English author, A. E. Mason. Mr. Skinner is coming direct from his record-breaking engagement at the Illinois Theatre, Chicago, to the Faurot Opera House, for one day only, Friday, March 11th.

The Faurot's Pictures

THERE are several reasons why the Faurot should not be overlooked today when you start your pilgrimage to the picture places. The first reason is that the program for today will be shown but one day only, so if you don't see it this afternoon or this evening you're all out of luck. The other reasons are that the headliner is the popular and brilliant star of stage and screen, Alice Brady; the play is a picturization of Mrs. Fiske's memorable comedy success, "The New York Idea," by Langdon Mitchell, and that the cast includes Lowell Sherman—yes, the same man who was so effective and yet so cordially hated as the "heavy" in Griffith's "Way Down East." Mrs. De Wolf Hopper, George Howell, Lionel Pape, Julia Hurley, Marie Burke, Margaret Linder, Edward Davies and others of note. Other features of the program are the Pathé News and the Paramount Magazine.

For Tuesday and Wednesday the Faurot will offer Realart's charming and talented young star, Constance Binney, who will be seen in her latest screen success, "Something Different," which is a photo-adaption of Alice Duer Miller's novel, "Calderon's Prisoner." Miss Binney is capably supported by Ward Crane, Mark Smith, Craun Wilbur, Lucy Fox, Gertrude Hillman, William Riley Hatch, Adolph Miller and others. The extra features include the Pathé News and Mack Sennett's latest comedy, "Fickle Fancy."

And to round out the week at the Faurot the trio of brilliant and popular favorites is completed by the coming on Thursday and Friday of the prettiest of screen stars, Wanda Hawley, whose new Realart picture is en-

titled "Food For Scandal". Just to "wise you up" we'll tell you that it is a picturization of Margaret Anglin's successful stage comedy, "Beverly's Balance," which was written for that distinguished actress by Paul Kester. Miss Hawley is not behind her sister stars in the choice of a supporting cast, for her includes such eminent names as Harrison Ford, Ethel Grey Terry, Lester Cuneo, Margaret McWade, Minnie Prevost, Juan de la Cruz and Sidney Bracy. The program also contains the Pathé Review, the International News and the Topical Digest.

CARNIVAL WEEK
AT THE ORPHEUM

Commencing at today's matinee and continuing throughout the week the Orpheum has designated this week as "Carnival Week". Starting today and opening the Carnival week, Zarrow's Nifty Nine will be the feature attraction. It is billed as "Breezy Bits From Broadway," the girl hit of 1921, replete with good, wholesome comedy, funny comedians and the girlie, whirly chorus. This will constitute only one of the features of this bill. Five other acts of superior vodvile will be offered. Foremost among these other five bits is the second feature of the bill and a feature in itself, Swartz and Clifford in "Cut It Out". This act has been reported as being one of the big laughing hits of the circuit. A good many people patronize vaudeville to laugh and Manager Shaw is securing the better class of comedy acts for the Orpheum.

Ted Healy, the lad from Laughland, is another one of the big laughing-tents of today's bill. Richard Wally and Co. will offer an act full of surprises and the many feats that this clever company will perform will hold you spellbound. Billy Star and Eva Lynn will offer "At the Ball Masque," augmented with good singing and dancing.

"The Great Kinnear", who is booked as an extra added attraction on today's program, comes direct from an engagement at the London Music Hall, London, England, and has only been in this country three weeks. The Orpheum is the third stop for this feature offering.

As usual and in keeping with the policy of the Orpheum an entire new show will be offered starting Thursday matinee. Six new acts will be shown, featuring Henrietta De Serris and Models, 6 Parisian beauties and five other feature vodvile acts. Many new stunts will be run in conjunction with Carnival Week. One of the stunts and

something new to Lima people will be clown night, Wednesday night at 9:00 o'clock show. Something you can't afford to miss.

On Friday, as usual, ladies' free matinees will hold sway. Friday night and for the first time this season amateur night will be given. Cash prizes will be given away to the best local talent. Many names have already been handed in to the box office, so if you want to take part in the amateur contest, better get your name in. The amateur contest will take place immediately after the first show, so a ticket for the first show will entitle you to the entire doing.

SOLOIST AT THE LYRIC

Henry Schuster, one of the most talented young accordion players on the concert stage, will be seen at the Lyric theatre today in connection with the photoplay feature, offering a series of popular and classical numbers. Schuster is a musician of note and his appearance here is expected to prove highly interesting to music-lovers of the city.

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THE MEAT OF A DOZEN SHOWS DISTILLED INTO THREE HOURS OF UNBRIDLED JOY—JUST ONE DARN THING AFTER ANOTHER
UNDER THE SEA
A WEALTH OF THIGHS BUT NOT A SINGLE SING

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS REFLECTED HERE FOR ALL LIMA THEATRE GOERS

FEAST FOR FILM FANS THIS WEEK

Lima Silver Sheets to Reflect Latest Releases of the World of Movies

Galaxy of Stars Will Be Seen in Variety of Offerings at Various Houses

(By ESTHER WAGNER) EVOTEEES of the silver sheet have a week of splendid photoplay features before them. Each and every motion picture house has announced a program of interesting films for the coming week, embracing practically every grade and kind—comedy-drama, pure drama, simple heart stories and the deep thrilling drama.

An array of stars of unusual brilliancy will be seen in their latest vehicles including Katherine MacDonald, Mildred Harris Chaplin, Constance Binney, Alice Brady, Mary Miles Minter, George Beban, Anna Q. Nilsson, Tom Mix and several others. A prominent list of star players.

The week's list contains no really big features, such as have held sway during the present week, and while every one of the attractions are first-class offerings, the majority are regular program variety.

Katherine MacDonald, the American Beauty of the stage and screen, comes this week in "My Lady's Latchkey," which opens on Wednesday at the Regent theatre. Miss MacDonald has a splendid role in this production and adds another to her long list of cinema triumphs.

Today brings "Habit," soul-stirring drama with Mildred Harris Chaplin in the leading feminine role. Miss Chaplin is cast as Irene Fletcher, beautiful and luxury loving, who is forced to choose between a continued life of ease and money, and life with a poor architect. The story is replete with unlooked-for climaxes and the supporting cast is an excellent one.

The Faurot's program for the week is above reproach, opening today with "The New York Idea," in which Alice Brady is starred. On Tuesday and Wednesday will be seen "Something Different" with popular Constance Binney in the leading role.

Wanda Hawley, Realart's beautiful blonde star, comes to the Faurot on Thursday and Friday in "Food for Scandal," a picture with Miss Hawley at her best.

A new Metro release, "Without Limit" from the widely read Saturday Evening Post story, "Temple Dusk," is the feature attraction



Scenes from "Habit" at the Regent theatre today.

hood a victim of the habit of pretty things, and her father, at the end of his resources.

She has two suitors, one John Marshall, a struggling young architect, and the other, Charles Munson, wealthy designer of women's clothes. Her intimate girl friend is Mary Chartres, who has found her world a very nice place in which to live, with a wealthy aunt to settle the bills.

Her father tells her of his impending disaster and begs her to stop her charge accounts. Instead of extending sympathy she upbraids him and dashes from his presence she trips on the stairs and is carried unconscious to her room where she dreams the following happenings, and they are shown as actually happening.

The audience is not taken into confidence until her awakening. First she dreams that Marshall married her and she is forced to do without the luxuries to which she was accustomed. Her husband is injured in an accident and loses his memory. Munson appears on the scene and induces Irene to visit New York. Wonderful creations are given her and Munson is on the point of caressing her when her husband arrives on the scene and kills him.

Of course Irene awakens from her dreams at this point, and finds the three men, her father, Munson and Marshall, around her. Calling Munson a villain, she consents to become the wife of the poor architect and the ending is a happy one. How's that for a story?

The fashion show as shown in the feature "Habit" is said to excell anything of the kind yet shown upon the silver sheet. Miss Harris herself wears many gorgeous creations and a general atmosphere of beauty and magnificence are predominant throughout the production.

A supporting cast par excellence is to be seen in support of the star, including William Lawrence, cast as John Marshall; Ethel Grey Terry as the chum, Mary Chartres; Walter McGrail as Charles Munson, and Emmet C. King as the father.

"Habit" is a drama of the first water, acted and mounted in a thoroughly acceptable manner. It opens today at the Regent theatre.

The Regent's Pictures

A DELIGHTFULLY likeable drama is "Habit," which opens today at the Regent theatre. And because Mildred Harris Chaplin has the leading feminine role, it is doubly interesting. The Fletcher Mansion, in the heart of the extremely fashionable section of Long Island, houses motherless Irene Fletcher, from earliest child-

"The Majestic's Pictures"

Patrons of motion pictures have not failed to watch with interest the career of youthful Mary Miles Minter and those who have seen "A Cumberland Romance" say that it is Hit-

He Mary's best work so far. "A Cumberland Romance" opens today at the Majestic theatre. She is quite franker. There are complications galore by studying. She is quite franker. In her efforts to please him and when he tells her that he is returning to the city in a short time, she frantically declares her love for him. But the mountain lad had to be reck-

lively satisfied. The cast includes Monte Blue, John Bowers and Martha Mattox.

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Katherine Mc Donald in

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Barrymore in "Macbeth" is Classed as Predominantly a Character Actor

Play Has Few Outstanding Qualities as Shakespearean Work

List of New Offerings the Past Week Among the New York Theatres

(BY FREDERICK P. SCHROEDER) NEW YORK — (Special) — The performance of "Macbeth" at the Apollo Theater is an extremely impressionistic affair and has few outstanding qualities that identify it as a Shakespearean entertainment of standard traditions.

Mr. Lionel Barrymore is predominantly a character actor. He has a fine physique and a good voice, but obviously lacks training in the classical school; his interpretation is unique in its disregard of the tenets of that school and, to that extent, original. There are several impressive moments in his depiction of the terror of conscience and some of his scenes are truly graphic. As a whole, the portrait is lacking in consistency, subtlety and refinement and is devoted on Ms. Julia Arthur to give a more sympathetic and artistic performance of the part of Lady Macbeth. She labored under the disadvantage of Mr. Barrymore's individualistic acting and lack of coordination and responsiveness, but whenever opportunity offered she displayed her excellent training and poetic instinct.

The production was designed by Robert Edmund Jones and the play is reduced to three acts. Most of the scenes are played in semi-darkness, and there is an absence of stage settings, the scenery being provided by curtains. The actors come and go after speaking their lines, and the arrangement is such that they work under a considerable handicap, the interest being chiefly concentrated on their manner of delivery in an unfavorable atmosphere. The production is artistic in an ultra modern sense, but whether it is true to Shakespeare is a debatable problem.

The version does away with stage traits for the shifting of scenery as one scene melts into another by an adroit handling of the lighting, but much of the fun thrill of the witch scenes is lost. There is no cauldron and the three weird sisters are arrayed in flaming red dominoes and masks and speak their lines like the Greek chorus with no attendant action.

The new offerings this week are "Blue Eyes" at the Casino; "Smooth as Silk" at the Lexington; "Nice People" at the Klaw Theatre, and "Cradle Song," a play from the Spanish, at the Times Square, at matinees only. "Blue Eyes" opened at the Casino with Ley Fields and Mollie King in the cast and is a musical comedy; "Smooth as Silk" is a new play by Willard Mack, in which he is starring, which means that his other self-made starring vehicle, "Near Santa Barbara," has had its day and a few nights; and "Nice People" is a society comedy by Rachel Crothers with Francine Lorrimore in the leading role. It comes late in the week and marks the opening of the Klaw, the latest addition to the playhouses in the central theatrical district. "Cradle Song" is the fourth or fifth play of the Spanish that has been produced here with a year and falls in with the vogue established when Nance O'Neill produced "The Passion Flower" at the Greenwich Village theater one blizzard night last winter.

After a run of over 125 performances, the Thaxter Guild this week brings to a close the engagement of Shaw's "Heartbreak House" at the Garrick, and its place will be taken by "Mr. Pim Passes," a play from the pen of A. A. Milne.

The new play of Eltinge for a series of matines, "The White Villa," was one of those plays which simply had to come. The only surprising thing is that it was so tardy in coming, since the new three-act piece, dramatized by Edith Ellis, is the stage version of the famous novel, "The Dangerous Age," sent for by Dantis novelist, Karin Michaelis. The movies have exploited it, and it was a foregone conclusion that the speaking stage would be by and by following the example.

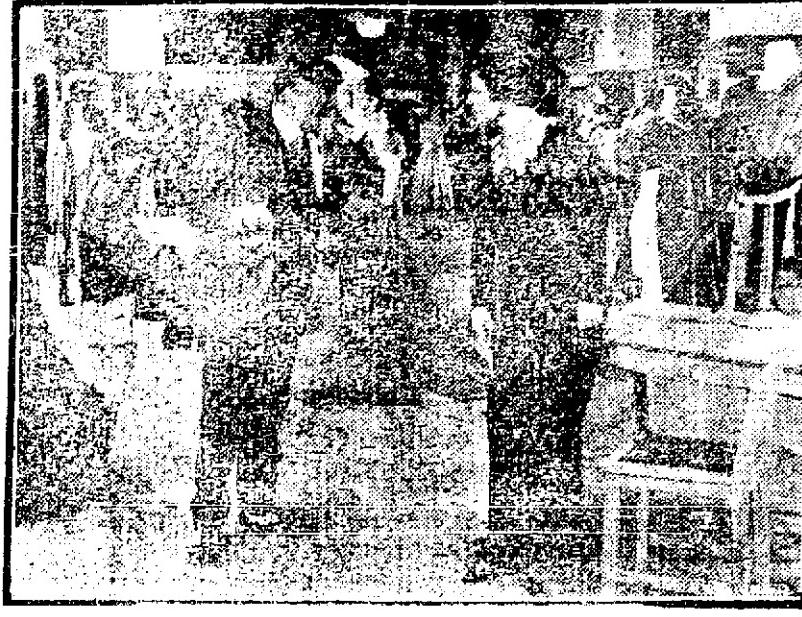
The first act is really a skillful exposition in spite of rather because of the fact that the dramatist adhered closely to the original; but when the high point of interest is reached, the adroitly led up to and still true to the book, there is a decline of interest, not because of any violence done to the logic of the situation or because the actress is unable to penetrate and portray the inner significance of the character, but rather because a visualizing of the love of a lady with autumn in her veins for a much younger man seems a little pathological on the stage. This may be a masculine conception of the situation, but I don't believe it, even when you smilingly watch without instinctive protest, the erratic dallings of the divorced husband with a nineteen year old flapper. The piece is eminently interesting, and largely so because of the exceptionally good acting of the leading part by Lucille Watson. The best-known and best-liked interpreter of smart society women on the New York stage, she proved a revelation in a wholly different sphere of art in her present character.

The play is produced under the auspices of a new organization calling itself, "The Players Fellowship." It was recently formed to release and present, for managers' inspection such plays as the members believe have artistic merit and social significance but which might be regarded too speculative to tempt a producer in these times of business depression. The members work on the theory that by investing their time and talents in the way of trial performances they are rendering a service to playwrights, to the public, the managers and to themselves. When a play is ready for its dress rehearsal, managers are invited to look at it with a view of inducing them to provide a production and a theater, the Fellowship retaining an interest in the receipts.

LOOK OUT RUTH, DON'T SPILL IT



Ruth Garryn—this is she—holding a bowl of hashish or some other smelly Oriental stuff. Ruth aids in "In the Shadow of the Sphinx," one of the exotic incidents in Marcus Show of 1920, which comes to the Faurot next Saturday.



"One Man In a Million," at the Lyric today.

The Sigma's Pictures

THE Saturday Evening Post story, "Temple Dusk" by Calvin Johnstone, forms the basis for Anna Q. Nilsson's latest starring vehicle, "Without Limit," the feature attraction at the Sigma theatre for the first four days of this week.

The story concerns Esther Edwards, alone and friendless, in New York. She is tempted to leave the drab security of her hall bedroom and become one of a dinner party given by Bunny Fish, a notorious man-about-town.

Among those present at the party, which is made up of questionable girls and dissolute young men, is a youth named David Marlowe, the son of an aged, impoverished clergyman.

Well, the dinner party progresses and by degrees the party gets continually mobbed. Esther and Marlowe have been drawn together from the start and when someone suggests that they get married, neither is sober enough to refuse. With tipsy hilarity the entire party witnesses the wedding, after which all repair in the Versailles, a gambling house, and try their luck at roulette.

Clement Palter is the owner of the gambling joint, himself a veteran gambler. David, the boy, starts losing heavily and forces a check. Palter, a curious turn of mind, detains the boy and his wife, and sends for David's father, the Rev. Marlowe.

The climax to this interesting train of events is one of the most startling and compelling ever enacted on the screen. The role of Esther, as taken by Anna Q. Nilsson, the Swedish girl, is a role ideally suited to the talents of that gifted young actress and she makes every moment count.

Robert Frazer as David Marlowe, the weakling, carries out his role to perfection and the others in the cast are equally good.

"Without Limit" is a splendid triumph of the screen, one of the most unusual and interesting dramas you will see.

THE UNTAMED

The last of the week brings Tom Mix to the Sigma theatre in "The Untamed," a whirlwind tale of the wilds and of three strange pals, a man, a horse and a dog. It is a picturization of Max Brand's popular novel of the same title. It boasts a very fine cast of players, all favorites of motion picture devotees.

Pauline Starke, a popular leading woman, plays opposite Mix. "The Untamed" is a story of the West in which there are three strange comrades.

The trio consists of a sort of superman, wild and primitive; a real child of the Outdoors, who recognizes no man-made laws; a big, feisty stallion known as Satan; and a gigantic dog, Black Bart.

With these three unusual beings the author has created a most unusual and entertaining picture, one that is bound to hold you from start to finish.

"The Untamed" starts at the Sigma on Thursday.

The Lyric's Pictures

THE LYRIC theatre announces a very strong program for today and all week, promising theatregoers two splendid dramatic features, the first of which, to be presented today and for four days, is "One Man in a Million," which stars George Beban, one of America's foremost character actors.

The picture, a Robertson-Cole release, is said to be flawless, and undoubtedly one of the greatest dramas of the age. In the familiar role of a humble Italian whose brain is at all times directed by his heart and love of fellow man, Mr. Beban excels.

This picture is his strongest vehicle—either on the stage or the silver sheet. The story of "One Man in a Million" is one of real heart interest. It is different. It contains all of the elements essential to the successful photoplay.

2:30 ORPHEUM 2:30
7:30 NEW SHOW TODAY 7:30
9:00 All Seats Reserved Phone Main 3360

CARNIVAL WEEK!
ZARROWS NIFTY
GIRL HIT OF 1921

Richard Long and Company Laughs! Ted Healy Screens! Star and Everyone Delight! The Great Kinsner Surprise!

SWARTZ and CLIFFORD
"CUR IT OUT"

A HOWL! A ROAR!
LOOK!—ONE BIG WEEK OF FUN—LOOK!
WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLOWN NITE!
THURSDAY SIX NEW "VODVIL" ACTS
FRIDAY NIGHT—AMATEUR NITE!—CASH PRIZES

The Lima News Theatrical Calendar

Attractions for the week at best play houses. Cut out and keep for reference.

Feb. 27 to March 6	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Faurot	Alice Brady in "The New Ideas" and "Fads, Funnies and Magazine"	"Linger Longer with Charlotte Greenwood and Original Cast"	Constance Binney in "Something Different" Also Bennett's "Fickle Fancy"	Constance Binney in "Something Different" Also Bennett's "Fickle Fancy"	Wanda Hawley in "Food For Scandal!"	Wanda Hawley in "Food For Scandal!"	Henrietta De Serres "Parisienne Models" Five Added Hits
Orph.	Headliner "Zarrows Nifty Nine" Girls-Girls 5 Added Acts	Headliner "Zarrows Nifty Nine" Girls-Girls 5 Added Acts	Headliner "Zarrows Nifty Nine" Girls-Girls 5 Added Acts	Headliner "Zarrows Nifty Nine" Girls-Girls 5 Added Acts	Tom Mix in "The Untamed" and Comedy	Tom Mix in "The Untamed" and Comedy	Henrietta De Serres "Parisienne Models" Five Added Hits
Sigma	Anna Q. Nilsson in "Without Limit" and Special Comedy	Anna Q. Nilsson in "Without Limit" and Special Comedy	Anna Q. Nilsson in "Without Limit" and Special Comedy	Anna Q. Nilsson in "Without Limit" and Special Comedy	Tom Mix in "The Untamed" and Comedy	Tom Mix in "The Untamed" and Comedy	Tom Mix in "The Untamed" and Comedy
Regent	"Habit" with Mildred Harris Chaplin	"Habit" with Mildred Harris Chaplin	"Habit" with Mildred Harris Chaplin	"My Lady's Latchkey" with Katherine McDonald Also Comedy	"My Lady's Latchkey" with Katherine McDonald Also Comedy	"My Lady's Latchkey" with Katherine McDonald Also Comedy	"My Lady's Latchkey" with Katherine McDonald Also Comedy
Lyric	George Beban in "One Man in a Million" Added Features	George Beban in "One Man in a Million" Added Features	George Beban in "One Man in a Million" Added Features	George Beban in "One Man in a Million" Added Features	George Beban in "One Man in a Million" Added Features	George Beban in "One Man in a Million" Added Features	TRY TO GET IN LYRIC BRINE OF THE SILENT DRAMA FOUR DAYS STARTING TODAY
Majestic	Mary Minter in "A Cumberland Romance" Also Comedy	"Turning the Tables" with Dorothy Gish Also Fun Film	"Turning the Tables" with Dorothy Gish Also Fun Film	"Turning the Tables" with Dorothy Gish Also Fun Film	Macie Kennedy in "The Blooming Angel"	Taylor Holmes in "Nothing But the Truth"	Taylor Holmes in "Nothing But the Truth"

Mother love, sweetheart love, the love of man for animals and a sufficient quantity of comedy to counterbalance the dramatic and pathetic moments. Incidentally, Mr. Beban himself wrote the story and directed the picture.

Aside from having perfection of story and detail, the cast in support of the star is an exceptional one, headed by Helen Jerome Eddy and including Irene Rich, George Williams, Jennie Lee and George Beban, Jr., the five-year-old son of the star. George, Jr., is a precocious youth and without a peer among the child actors of the screen today.

The last three days of the week bring "The Killer," a picture out of the ordinary. As the title suggests, this photo-drama is a real thriller and carries a cast that is splendid.

Mr. Henry Schuster, accordion soloist, is prominent on the Lyric's program today, appearing in a number of popular and classical selections.



MAJESTIC
TODAY & TOMORROW
Mary Miles Minter
— in —
'A Cumberland Romance'
Also LARRY SEMON in "THE STAGE HAND"
TOPICS OF TODAY

George Beban in

HIS MASTERPIECE OF CHARACTERIZATION, WRITTEN BY HIMSELF

ONE MAN IN A MILLION

A picture that strikes a note of humanity which has hitherto been untouched. A page literally torn from everyday life into which is woven as by a genius, laughter, tears, heart throbs and then—Sublime happiness.



Even though your heart be in your boots, this picture will find it.

WHAT YOU'LL SEE--

How a man working in the lowliest channels proved to be "One Man in a Million."

The most extraordinary parrot actor the screen has ever known.

The big hearted love of a despised saloon lunchman for everything that lived.

The exciting attack of a hundred and fifty dogs on two Government agents.

The pure love of a big hearted man for two women.

SUPER ADDED ATTRACTION WITH "ONE MAN IN A MILLION"

PATHE PRESENTS



Can you imagine Harold Lloyd asking the "old man" for his daughter's hand? If you think you can, come in today and see just how far your imagination is at fault. It's a riot of fun from start to finish.

HAROLD LLOYD
in "ASK FATHER"
AND IN ADDITION TO ALL OF THIS! HEAR
PROF. SHUSTER

The wizard of the Accordion. A musical number of prime excellence. He makes his instrument talk—playing all the latest hits.

SIMPLE, DIGNIFIED WILL BE INAUGURATION AS PRESIDENT HARDING TAKES OFFICE FRIDAY



CABINET TO WEIGH 1750

NEW YORK — President-elect Harding's cabinet will have at least 10 beards, four sets of mustaches, one bald head, one nearly bald, and will weigh approximately 1750 pounds. Will Hays, 41, will be its youngest member, as well as its smallest, in weight and stature. As for the others, the following thumbnail sketches are offered:

Charles Evans Hughes—Aged 58; lawyer, former associate justice of the United States Supreme Court; 1916 Republican candidate for president and conductor of government aircraft investigation in 1918. To be secretary of state. Born in Glens Falls, N.Y., and lives in New York City.

Andrew William Mellon—Aged 65; banker, one of the nation's extremely rich men, identified with many charitable and welfare organizations. To be secretary of treasury. Born in Pittsburgh, and lives there now.

John W. Weeks—Aged 60, banker and broker, former member of House and Senate, candidate for presidential nomination in 1916. To be secretary of war. Born in Lancaster, N.H., now resident of Massachusetts and Washington.

Henry Cantwell Wallace—Aged 53; public-hair authority on live stock. To be secretary of agriculture.

Herbert Hoover—Aged 46; engineer; international relief worker; chief of Food Administration in war

SPRING BRINGS CONFIDENCE-LET'S GO

SPRING, as David Warfield so aptly remarked in his wonderful play of the week, is the "nesting time" for mankind; and Spring also brings to us that youthful hope and confidence upon which the United States was built by its Pilgrim fathers and continued these 150 years by their descendants.

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When President Wilson declared our business slump of six years ago was "Psychological," his remark was condemned by plain matter of fact business men who saw the world going to the dogs and could not comprehend the President's meaning. In less than six months after the slump, every factory in the country was running full blast and begging for labor.

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Today, at the dawn of spring-time, business men are puzzled over prevailing conditions. Factories are closed, railroads have only meagre tonnage, the world—our world in great America—seems to have suddenly passed from inability to get what is needed to having everything that is needed and no one wanting it. The condition has been as truly psychological as it was a

few years ago, but the end of the period comes with the budding of the spring months.

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The greatest Hoodoo of all our Bogies has been resoundingly spanked, for the High Cost of Living has vanished. It has taken since early last May for business in general to adjust to the lower prices, but it has adjusted. Only fools who stand out for war-time wages will fail to benefit from the good times which we now enter. March will gather speed with its first few days; April will see us in second; and when May comes we shall shift into third for the second great era of prosperity of the twentieth century.

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Lima manufacturers are saying "Let's Go"; and this is but preliminary to the going. Lima workers are sane and ready to meet the new conditions which are better conditions than dreamed of five years ago. Normalcy is ours for the acceptance; Confidence is the prescription; and prosperity and that homey happiness which prosperity brings, only asks that we begin taking the prescription forthwith. Everything is set, "Let's Go."

SALVATION ARMY SEEKS CLOTHING FOR THE POOR

The Salvation Army has undertaken the supply of clothing to the city. Adjutant E. D. Dinkenicker, in charge of the local corps of the Salvation Army, is anxious to supply as many needy families as possible with clothing.

He invites all those who have donations to make to leave them at the Salvation Army hall, 456 S. Main St., which will be open each week on Monday and Tuesday from 1 to 4 o'clock. Any family in need of clothing may apply at that time and will be supplied as far as possible, without charge.

Adjutant Dinkenicker may be reached by calling telephone Main 6618 at his office or State 1881, his residence.

WHITNEY, READER, GIVES LYCEUM COURSE NUMBER

Edwin Whitney, reader, gave the play "Turn to the Right," at the Central Hall auditorium Friday night as one of the headliners of the winter lyceum course. Those who attended say it was one of the best numbers on the program so far, and that Whitney gave realistic stage sonatas of the characters of the play.

BACK DAUGHERTY

Official Washington Pleased By His Appointment.

WASHINGTON — Announcement by President-elect Harding of his selection of Harry M. Daugherty of Columbus, as attorney general, is pleasing to official Washington. Republican senators are well satisfied with his selection. Ohio members of Congress, most of whom have known Daugherty for years, express confidence that Harding's faith in his old friend and political associate will be vindicated before Daugherty has served many months.

Senator Pomerene, Democrat, said, "I think Daugherty will make a good attorney general."

Senator Willis sent this telegram to Harding, "Your appointment of Harry M. Daugherty to a position in your cabinet is a fitting honor worthy bestowed upon an able, loyal fighting American. I congratulate you and the country."

To Daugherty, Willis sent this message, "I congratulate you and the country upon your appointment."

CORSETS AND LINGERIE—THIRD FLOOR—SLUEN'S.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

"The Universal Car"

OUR QUOTA FOR YEAR 1921

750

Ford Sales

Good Times
Are Here

It has become a sudden realization on the part of the buying public that NORMALCY is here—that old-time service with better service has quietly, practically unheralded, settled among us—that there is more money in circulation right now than there was a year ago—that business everywhere, and particularly in Lima and vicinity, is back to normal.

What is the result? Everybody wants his or her Ford car NOW. We want to give everybody quick delivery on the car of your choice, but we simply must take care of the sales in their order.

If you give us your order now, we will make delivery as soon as possible.

Let's Go!

More Money In Circulation

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"A recent treasury statement said that on January 1st, 1921, there was more money in circulation than last year. On that date there was \$6,340,436,718 in circulation, or \$59.12 per capita as compared with \$5,960,382,866, or \$55.89 per capita on Jan. 1st, 1920. The figures speak for themselves."

PARK TRAMMELL, U. S. Senator.

Everybody Can
A-Ford a Ford

People have come to the universal opinion that it pays in actual dollars and cents to own a Ford.

You can buy a Ford and put the rest of the money in the bank.

"My Ford is as much of an asset in my business as my four years in college, it is equal to the efficiency of any \$2,000 a year man," said a local sales-manager in putting the practical touch to why it pays to own a Ford.

Reasonable in price at the start, economic in upkeep, never falling far below its original par value, no matter how many miles of service it has seen, a Ford car has come to be the universal car of all classes from the laboring man to the \$50,000-a-year manager.

Business or pleasure, it, all the same, the Ford is economical as it is efficient.

Let's Go!

W. C. FRIDLEY, Dealer
LIMA, OHIO

FATHER RETURNS STOLEN MONEY

Reimburses Those His Son Was Robbed

THOMAS KINSTLE FUNERAL

St. Louis Company Sues New Orleans Firm at Wapak

WAPAKONETA — (Special) — Thomas Lanahan, father to Edward Lanahan, 15, who was arrested on a charge of stealing money at St. Joseph's Catholic church here, returned the amount that the boy admitted stealing, \$29.10. The boy is still held in the detention home here for further investigation by Juvenile Judge Pease. The Lanahans reside in Lima.

The W. F. Ferguson Lumber Co., of St. Louis, Mo., filed suit in Common Pleas court here Friday afternoon against the Madisonville Saw and Planing Mill Co. of New Orleans, La. Plaintiff company asks for \$1,556.25 alleged to be due because of non-fulfillment of a contract on the part of the New Orleans concern to deliver two carloads of lumber. Proceedings were instituted in this county because the plaintiff company is attempting to attach the proceeds of the sale of two carloads of lumber that belonged to the Madisonville company.

Funeral services for the late Thomas Kinstle, who died suddenly of apoplexy here Thursday afternoon, will be held at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Monday at 9 o'clock a. m. Interment in St. Joseph's Catholic cemetery east of the city.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Wapakoneta Wheel Co. on March 17, the proposition of increasing the stock of the company from \$50,000 common and \$25,000 preferred stock, will be considered.

All sewer work on Wood and North streets has been completed and the contractors hope to have house connections and catchbasins completed in ten days.

The official automobile record for the year as issued by the Secretary of State, gives Auglaize county's as 2,474 passenger cars and 522 trucks.

Funeral services were conducted Friday over the remains of Mrs. Mary Ellen Abbott at the Presbyterian church, in charge of the Rev. J. Norman King. Interment in Greenlawn cemetery.

EX-PRESIDENT TO LEAD QUIET LIFE; SOME INTIMATE GLIMPSES OF HIM



Interesting glimpses of the president taken during his eight years in office. Upper left shows President and Mrs. Wilson, the first snap-shot taken of the two together after their marriage. Center shows the president in Paris. Left to right, below, president in his most typical speaking pose, one of his most popular photographs (center), and Taft and Wilson riding to the capitol for the inauguration in 1913. A hole at the right is one of the most recent photographs of the president taken after his illness.

possible. Those who see him all agree that there has been a marked improvement in his health and his countenance since November 2. The result, instead of coming as a blow, seemed to lift a

Even concerning the League of Nations, always close to his heart, he is reported to be quite philosophical. He made his fight for it; his belief in it is unshaken. But if there are others who feel that they can do a better job than he, the president is quite willing that they shall go ahead and try.

Wilson is quite satisfied that his record will analyze well in the years to come and that it will meet the tests of mature judgment. He has often been credited with a marked faculty of discounting public clamor of the moment and seeing events beyond it in their true prospective.

Just what plans have been made for Mr. Wilson's outings have not been disclosed. There will, of course, be a number of them. The president does not own one, and those which have been at his service will

be turned over to the Hardings, being a part of the White House establishment. Before her marriage to the president, Mrs. Wilson used to operate her own electric. Washington is a peculiarly inviting town for electrics. There are several thousand in operation here and most of them are driven by women. Mrs. Wilson, stepping out of official circles, may find it convenient to get another electric for her own use in shopping and making calls, and it is not unlikely that Mr. Wilson may do a good deal of driving with her.

It is a novelty for an ex-president to make Washington his home, and at first it may be difficult for Mr. Wilson to obtain the seclusion that he desires. Many people are apt to be making a pilgrimage to S street to inquire his views on this subject or that. It is probable that some of the Democrats in political life here will be seeking his advice on party matters. But there is every indication that Mr. Wilson's intention at this time is to withdraw himself as completely as possible from all such matters.

HARD JOB AHEAD OF LAWMAKERS

Congress Faces Task When it is Called By Harding.

MANY PROGRESSIVE LAWS

History of Democratic Rule is Outlined.

BY H. N. RICKEY

WASHINGTON — When the sixtieth Congress is called into special session by President Harding soon after his inauguration, March 4, the Republicans, for the first time in 10 years, will be in complete control of both the legislative and executive branches of the federal government.

During six years of that period, from 1913 to 1919, the Democrats controlled both branches. In 1911 and 1912, there was a Republican president, Taft, a Republican Senate, and a Democratic house.

In 1919 and 1920, and up to March 4, this year, there has been a Democratic president and a Republican majority in both Senate and House.

Two of the six years, 1917 and 1918, that the Democrats were in complete control, were war years, in which every normal legislative and administrative policy was sacrificed to the winning of the war. So that in appraising Democratic results unmodified by division of political control or war necessities, there are only four years to be considered—the period from 1913 to 1916.

It was during these four years that the Democrats, under the leadership of President Wilson, made their legislative and administrative record on purely domestic questions to which party leaders point as they turn the presidency over to the Republicans.

This does not mean that any responsible Democratic leader from President Wilson down admits failure or even weakness during the two war years they were in control.

But they have resigned themselves to waiting "for the verdict of history" on these years, crowded as they were with contentious questions.

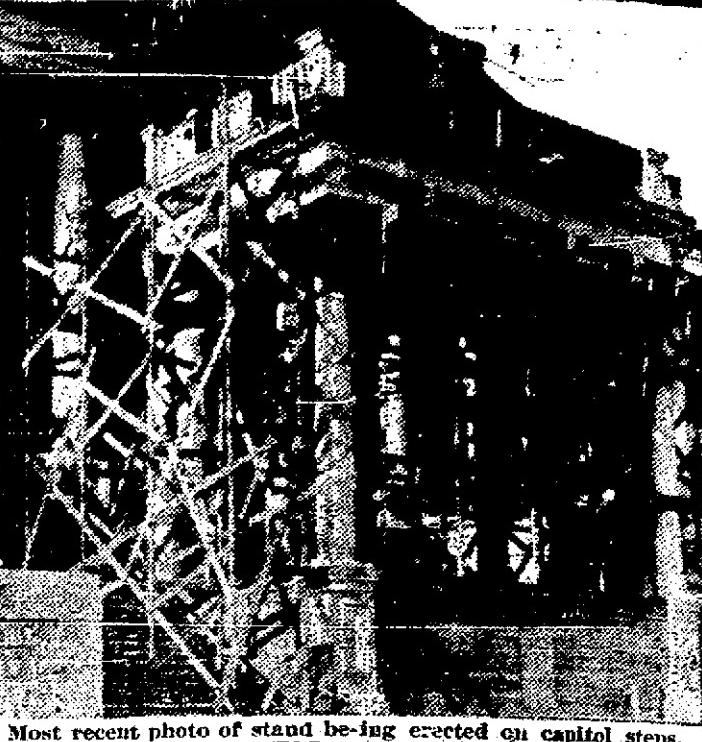
An analysis of the 1913 to 1916 years, both in their legislative and administrative aspects, discloses an interesting record.

Entirely apart from the question of whether one agrees with the policies involved, it is not an overstatement to say that viewed as constructive, progressive legislation, they are unique in our history.

The federal reserve act, which freed the nation from the danger of financial panics and gave for the first time a banking and currency system comparable with that of other great nations, was passed by the Democratic Congress and approved by Wilson in December, 1913.

The federal farm loan act, which for the first time assures adequate means of providing capital to the

INAUGURAL STAND NEARLY READY



Most recent photo of stand being erected on capitol steps.

farmers of the nation, was a fitting complement to the federal reserve act. It was made a law in 1913. Its success was undoubtedly, but its operation has been held up for months by the courts on the suit of mortgage bankers.

The federal good roads law made available \$35,000,000 for the development of the highway systems throughout the nation in co-operation with state governments.

The Underwood tariff law, approved by Wilson in September, 1913, took the place of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law of unsavory memory.

The tariff commission law, creating a bipartisan board for the scientific study of the tariff question, was the first actual step toward taking the tariff out of politics. It followed largely the plan of President Roosevelt.

The law creating the federal trade commission was responsive to the demand for a nonpartisan body to arbitrate commercial disputes and prevent unfair competition.

The pride of the Democratic leaders in the accomplishment of this commission is second only to their pride in the accomplishments of the Federal Reserve Board.

The seventeenth amendment to the constitution, providing for the direct election of senators by popular vote, was proclaimed in May, 1913.

The ship purchase act established a government shipping board to purchase and build ships and supervise freight and passenger schedules. Its existence at the time we entered the war made possible the creation of the Emergency Fleet Corporation and the rehabilitation of the merchant marine for both war and peace purposes.

The La Follette seaman's act, also sponsored by a Republican senator, was passed by a Democratic Congress and approved by Wilson. This act improved the working conditions of American sailors and provided effective precautions to prevent loss of life at sea.

The Smith-Lever agricultural extension act, providing for the construction of a government-owned railway in Alaska, was the necessary step to opening Alaska.

Under the general title of conservation, the Democrats are responsible for a series of laws opening lands and natural resources to development and preventing monopolization and misuse of the remaining timber, mineral oil, and land resources of the nation.

The Philippine act provided greater measure of freedom for Filipinos and assured them ultimate independence.

The Democrats changed the rules of the House of Representatives abolishing the so-called caucus under the dictator of legislation.

The Department of Labor was created, with its head a member of the cabinet.

The parcel post was developed from a mere shell to the biggest express business in the world.

Business Is Good

AT ROWLAND'S

Our Prices Are the Cause

Our Annual Red Tag Furniture Sale was by far a greater success than any sale ever held by this store. We gave wonderful values and the public responded liberally.

Service and Low Prices Our Motto

Our courteous salespeople make it a pleasure for the shopper to shop at our store. It is no trouble to show goods, and you receive the same courteous treatment whether you buy or not.

Liberal Credit Terms Extended

Our easy terms of credit make it possible for everyone to possess a well furnished home. You might as well get the use of your Furniture while paying for it as not. "You Furnish the Wife; We'll Furnish the Home."

Low 1921 Prices Throughout the Store

PRICES ARE ROCK-BOTTOM — DON'T WAIT

ROWLAND'S

204 N. MAIN ST.

28 YEARS OF SQUARE DEALING.

Two Months Ago a Financial Man Said:

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"It was Charles Sumner who wrote, 'Only three things are necessary in life: First, backbone; second, backbone; third, backbone. America has the requisite and the business clouds are clearing.'

"Harriman, Bush, Schwab and others laid the foundations for their success by clear thinking, resourcefulness and ingenuity in worse times than we have been confronted with. The prevailing depression will be of short duration."

LOUIS STERN,
President Stern Bros.

Today, All Financial Men Say:

Business Is Good!

Let's Go!

Like many other retailers, Michael's have reduced prices, in some cases even beyond the point of profit. We met the situation. With lowered prices we give the best quality merchandise it is possible to buy.

Result: Business is good. And it's growing beyond our most imaginative expectations.

Governor Carey Hardee was right when he said: "1921 is going to be one of the most prosperous years in America's history despite its apparent poor start."

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Michael's
HOUSE OF BETTER CLOTHES

HARDING AND THE NEWSPAPER MEN

None Blames Him for Banishing Them on Trip.

GLAD TO ESCAPE PUBLICITY.

Correspondents Hope for Return of Old System.

BY EDWARD B. CLARK

WASHINGTON — When President-elect Harding crossed the gangplank of the good houseboat Victoria, owned and presumably navigated by the honorable senator from New Jersey, Joseph Sherman Frelinghuysen, he requested that the newspapermen stay at the nearer end of the plank and let him sail the placid Florida waters without their company.

Men of the newspaper world probably will appreciate Senator Harding's feeling in this matter and probably will understand his desire to cut loose from publicity for a few days. It is also entirely probable that the newspaper men who had been the president-elect's constant companions were perfectly willing to "cut it out" for a short time and to give their fingers and the keys of their typewriters a rest.

The correspondents in Washington today are wondering whether the old-time relations with the executive mansion will be re-established after Mr. Harding moves into the white building. President Wilson for a long time has been unable to see the correspondent. For some time after he became president Mr. Wilson talked to the newspaper men en masse and occasionally he gave them the basis of a good news story, particularly so in one instance when he literally flushed out one morning the statement to them that "a pernicious lobby" is at work in the city of Washington. Instantly the newspapermen asked if he could be quoted. He said he would make a statement. He did and the result was the investigation into the activities of a lobby which afterward became known as the Mitchell case.

President Wilson, however, rarely has seen the newspaper men alone. He has been averse to granting interviews, and he reversed the procedure of Theodore Roosevelt and to some extent that of President Taft.

HOW ROOSEVELT USED THE PRESS

When President Roosevelt wanted to find out whether the country would respond to some legislation that he had in mind he would send for the newspaper men and would talk about the subject in mind without committing himself to it in one way or the other. The result was that everybody in the United States soon was informed what the president was thinking about. The returns from the country sympathetic or antagonistic were instant, and if the sympathetic ones were in the majority congress soon would hear something on the subject from the White House.

President Roosevelt soon found out what men there were in the body of Washington correspondents who were sympathetic with his progressive policies. These men he would call into conference frequently, one at a time and actually would pour out his heart to them. He had a search following of the faithful.

When President Taft came into office he was not particularly communicative. He held little intercourse with the members of the press, although he let down the bars and meetings with the correspondents were frequent. A little later when one element of the Republican party became critical of the Taft administration intercourse with the representatives of the press was not, as means continuous but once in a while the president would "open up" and come to his own defense, and also frequently would spring to the attack.

HARDING GENIAL TO THE BOYS

Washington correspondents have come to realize that their chances of frequent interviews with presidents of the United States depend largely upon their temperaments. This intercourse with the press can be cordial, and it has been overdone in some cases, but it also can be underdone, and this has happened in times past and past.

Ever since the day that Warren G. Harding was nominated for the presidency at Chicago he has had with him eight or ten newspaper men, representatives of the press associations and of some of the larger dailies. He also has had with him a man who might be called the press representative of the president, a trained newspaper man who has endeavored to direct the news currents in a proper way and who generally is credited with having made a success of his job.

What is to happen when the president moves into the White House is not yet known, but the majority of correspondents in Washington believe that the American public is not going to rock in vain to the White House for news. The next president of the United States is a genial man, and one who can stand a lot longer than some people would call Hector president.

AD CLUB COMMITTEE STUDIES ADVERTISING

"Advertising Lima" by the use of bill boards and road signs is being studied by a committee of the Advertising club. E. H. Kettler is chairman and Miles Standish, Charles Gordon, E. G. Crawford, and C. G. McKinley are members.

Officers will be completely changed at the meeting March 10, when "Investment Advertising" will be studied.

QUIET TITLE SUIT
Land in Section 20, Auglaize-tp, has been filed by E. B. Moyer. Catherine T. Stremmons and nearly a dozen other defendants are named. Moyer has been in possession of the land for some years.

"DARK HORSE" IN CABINET LIST HAS HAD NOVEL CAREER



Edwin Denby.

Edwin Denby of Detroit, is now slated to become secretary of the navy in President-elect Harding's cabinet. Denby served ten years in the Chinese maritime customs service when a youth. He served in the Spanish and World wars. He is a lawyer by profession.

HARDING FAVORS WELFARE WORK

Serious Faults in Our School System Pointed Out.

GOVERNMENT MUST DO MORE

Too Many Teachers Immature, Statistics Show.

class rooms in the United States were vacant because of lack of teachers. If an average of 25 pupils to each class room is fixed, the National Education Association says this means that 460,000 pupils last year either were denied instruction entirely or were crowded into other class rooms where they were taught by overworked, underpaid and perhaps untrained teachers.

There is a plan to submit to Congress a proposition for government appropriations to be used for education, but to be used only under direction of the officials in the state in which the money is expended. This will mean, it is said, that the

federal government will avoid paternalistic methods and that the people of each state will be left to use the money as they see fit in their schools.

B'NAI B'RITH WILL INITIATE A CLASS

Seven candidates will be initiated into the Lima Lodge B'nai B'rith Tuesday at Mitchell Hall at 7:45 p.m. The lodge has started the publication of a monthly bulletin which is distributed among more than 100 members. S. K. Kleinberger is editor and Morris Rosenblum manager.

MANHATTAN OPERA HOUSE, HELD AS HAMMERSTEIN MONUMENT, TO BE SOLD

NEW YORK — The Manhattan Opera House, which Mrs. Oscar Hammerstein has been struggling to preserve as a monument to the operatic genius of her late husband, is to be sold, it was reported here today. It is valued at \$10,000. Mrs. Hammerstein's business agent stated that the building was on the market, but Mrs. Hammer-

stein refused to confirm the announcement, altho she admitted she was under "temporary financial embarrassment." It is said that if Manhattan does pass from the hands of Mrs. Hammerstein, an attempt will be made to reserve it as a home for opera.

EXPECT BONDS MONDAY

The Elm and North-st bridges bonds, amounting to \$123,000, are expected to arrive here Monday from Chicago. City Auditor Export said Saturday. They are being issued by the Falley Stuart company.

REHEARING OF HARPER CASE IN COURT MONDAY

An examining court will hear testimony in the case of Clyde Harper, E. North-st, charged with pocket-picking of visitors at the Manhattan hotel. Harper was arrested seven days ago upon complaint of one of the guests there.

He was bound over from police court to await action by the grand jury. Probate court may see fit to lower his bond, which he may be able to provide and secure release.

"THE keynote of 1921 should be faith in America. Our unlimited resources give us the basis of wealth and prosperity. Many people are still shell-shocked, but at heart American people are sound and we have the basis for returning prosperity. This is no time for depressing pessimism or buoyant optimism, but a time for faith, thrift and enterprise to be the trinity for restoring prosperity to whole country. A good slogan for prudent men is

'If You Don't Buy What the Other Fellow Produces He Cannot Buy What You Produce'

—Josephus Daniels,
Secretary of the Navy

LET'S GO!

—It's the old battle cry. Words with pep and truth. Brought right down to us folks here in Lima, it means, "let's get the most out of life; let's do something; let's not be laggards, for good business is HERE, the starting pistol has cracked; the race is on for the biggest year's business in Lima's history."

Don't let anyone tell you Lima is sick. Lima is Just hitting its stride. You are going to see more speed here in the next few months than you ever saw before. We know. It's our business to know.

Downhearted? Good gracious NO! Do we look for lower furniture prices? No more than we look for salt in Ottawa river. We have already sacrificed profit to encourage buying and Lima is growing, growing, growing and right now is in better business condition than any other city in the United States.

Business IS GOOD and we can PROVE it

LET'S GO!

THE Hoover-Bond Co.
THE STORE OF THE PEOPLE

**16-18-20 PUBLIC SQUARE
OUR FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE ENDS MONDAY NIGHT**

CRAIG GETS FOUR YEAR TERM

Term Fight Among Commissioners Ended Saturday

GRAY GIVES UP CONTEST

Craig Will Serve Long Term With J. W. Thompson

The fight between Walter W. Craig on the one side and A. J. Gray and John W. Thompson on the other, in a court suit for the designation of the winners of the short and long terms for commissioners in the November election, is all over.

Craig will receive a four-year term certificate, instead of two, and Gray will be content with a certificate for two years. Hence Thompson and Craig will have the long terms, instead of Thompson and Gray, as announced when the votes were counted on election day in November.

GRAY GIVES UP

Gray gave it up Saturday, agreeing to abide by the decision of the court and the record of the ballots, which established the fact that Craig had received more votes than either Gray or Thompson and that he was entitled to a certificate of election for four years.

We expect to abide by the decision of the court, Gray said Saturday, shedding his coat and Thompson, both of whom signed a statement agreeing to let further court procedure go to the commissioners to administer the affairs of the county and not to engage in extended litigation among themselves. In such lawsuits the county generally suffers," Gray said.

"If the will of the people could have been determined, we believe that we both would have received long terms as commissioners, but under a recount as required by law and evidence from the ballots of the 14 precincts, Mr. Craig is the winner. The people of this county can gain nothing if this case is carried to the court of appeals for determination on the legal proposition which will be raised. County commissioners serve best in the commissioners' room and not in the court room and we will carry out our duties as commissioners in the service of all the people of this county the same as if no contest had been instituted."

The next step in the closing up of the controversy will be an order from the common pleas court to the board of deputy state supervisors of elections for Allen co., to issue a four-year election certificate to Craig and one for two years to Gray, recalling the original certificates issued.

AWAIT COURT'S ORDER

"We shall not issue the certificates," Chief Deputy J. B. Madigan of the board of elections said Saturday, "until we receive a duly authenticated order from the court. The ballots cast in the November election will also be held until released by the court, after which they will be burned, as provided by law," Madigan said.

When Commissioner Craig was informed Saturday that Gray and Thompson had agreed to abide by the decision of the court and that the contest was a closed incident, he expressed his gratification.

"I only want what is honestly due me," Craig said. "I felt certain that I had received the greater number of votes, else I would not have opened a contest."

According to the count of the ballots on election day, Craig was down, receiving three votes less than Gray and six less than Thompson. After a recount of the ballots in fourteen precincts, specified in Craig's petition, the result showed that he was winner over Thompson by 19 votes and 33 over Gray.

ROOT MAY BE U. S. LEAGUE ENVOY

Harding Has Plans Along This Line, It Is Rumored.

NEW YORK.—Elihu Root, according to Republican leaders here, will be asked by Secretary of State Hughes to play a conspicuous part in the negotiations with European powers for provisions permitting America's entrance into a League of Nations for lasting peace.

Root, they believe, will be the spokesman of Hughes and Harding, neither of whom will personally participate in the negotiations.

Root, of course, would be eminently fitted for the task. Besides being a former U. S. senator, secretary of state and diplomat, Root has been unusually equipped by contact with allied statesmen in working out the international court provided by the league covenant.

Root is in favor of entering the present league with reservations and modifications.

HARDING'S PLAN

The program for bringing about peace has been virtually decided upon by Harding.

FIRST: Passage by the Senate and House of a resolution defining peace.

SECOND: Informal exchange with the allies and Germany to adjust financial matters and other questions relating to peace.

THIRD: Dispatch of an American minister to Berlin and acceptance of a German minister at Washington.

JESSE A. COIL ESTATE IS PLACED AT \$16,000

The estate of the late Jesse A. Coil, Spencerville, amounts to \$16,000 in real estate, according to documents filed in probate court Saturday. Lehman Coil was named administrator. The widow, survivor of the estate, died January 31, last. Four sons, four daughters, two grandsons, a grand daughter and great grand daughter share the estate.

Maccabees, Allen Review 197 will give a card party on Thursday evening, March 3rd. Everybody welcome. Central Building. Admission 15c.

COURT STARTLED BY "SURPRISE" WITNESS

WILLIAMSON, W. Va.—C. E. Lively, "surprise" witness in the Matewan gun fight trial, was today recalled to the witness stand for cross-examination. Testifying for the state late yesterday afternoon in circuit court, where Sid Hatfield, Matewan police chief, and 18 other defendants are being tried on charges growing out of the death of Albert C. Petts, a private detective, and six of his companions just May 18, Lively told a story that startled those in the court room. He testified that he was in the secret service department of the Baldwin-Felts detective agency and that he went to Matewan a month after the pistol and rifle battle which followed eviction of miners' families from Stone Mountain Coal Company houses by Baldwin-Felts operatives. During the night seven Baldwin-Felts men, the town mayor, C. C. Terberman and two citizens were shot to death. Harrod, Bildnerback was removed to the City Hospital.

OHIO CITY MAN HAS LEG AND ARM BROKEN

J. S. Bilderback, Ohio City, employee of the Cleveland Lumber company, Cleveland, had his arm and leg broken when a log rolled upon it Friday. Bilderback loosened the chain which held the log in place upon a wagon and the log rolled upon him. The accident occurred near Harrod. Bilderback was removed to the City Hospital.

SCHOOL OF DRESSMAKING

Mr. Ethelbert Scales has opened a school of dressmaking in Rooms 747-78, Citizens Building, Morn- ingside, students will be taught to make their own garments. Information may be obtained by calling State 6675. Hemstitching, Pleating and Buttons.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE METROPOLITAN BANK

at Lima, Ohio, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business Feb. 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans on Real Estate	\$ 27,245.35
Loans on Collateral	114,968.70
Other Loans and Discounts	216,610.52
Overdrafts	252.86
U. S. Bonds and Securities (Items 5-6-7-8)	23,120.00
Furniture and Fixtures	700.00
Cash Items	161.76
Due from Reserve Banks and cash in vault (Items 16-18-19-20-21)	104,034.75
Exchanges for clearing	6,738.43
Items in transit	35.60
TOTAL	\$493,970.97

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	13,400.00
Undivided Profits less expenses, interest and taxes paid	2,298.01
Individual Deposits subject to check (Items 34-35)	\$28,926.64
Demand Certificates of Deposit	87,379.77
Certified Checks outstanding	332.50
Dividends unpaid	640.00
Savings Deposits	50,984.05
TOTAL	\$493,970.97

I, G. E. McHaffey, Cashier of the above named, The Metropolitan Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. E. MEHAFFEY, Cashier.

Correct—attest: W. H. Duffield, C. E. Lossie, James E. Duffield, Directors.

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF ALLEN. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of February, 1921.

W. M. AXLINE, Notary Public, Allen County, Ohio.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Farmers' Bank of Elida

at Elida, Ohio, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business Feb. 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans on Real Estate	\$ 12,360.00
Loans on Collateral	2,946.66
Other Loans and Discounts	86,425.38
Overdrafts	47.54
U. S. Bonds and Securities (Items 5-6-7-8)	1,800.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,040.77
Due from Reserve Banks and cash in vault (Items 16-18-19-20-21)	18,714.53
TOTAL	\$124,345.24

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,755.00
Undivided Profits less expenses, interest and taxes paid	265.52
Individual Deposits subject to check (Items 34-35)	47,077.43
Demand Certificates of Deposit	46,245.99
Bills Payable	3,000.00
TOTAL	\$124,345.24

I, A. BRENNEMAN, Cashier of the above named, The Farmer's Bank of Elida, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. BRENNEMAN, Cashier.

Correct—attest: S. D. CRUTCH, Pres. J. E. JOHNS, B. F. THUIT, Directors.

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF ALLEN. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of Feb., 1921.

W. F. JOHN, Notary Public.

Department of Banks and Banking Columbus, Ohio.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE AMERICAN BANK

at Lima, Ohio, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business February 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loan on Real Estate	\$ 53,967.07
Loans on Collateral	179,268.14
Acceptances of other banks discounted	49,006.17
Overdrafts	223,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Securities (Items 5-6-7-8)	1,231.33
State, County and Municipal Bonds	28,690.27
Other Bonds, Stocks and Securities	67,423.00
Premium on Bonds, Stocks and Securities	71,353.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,310.26
Cash Items	5,000.00*
Due from Reserve Banks and cash in vault (Items 16-18-19-20-21)	31.92
TOTAL	\$301,349.65

Exchanges for clearing	12,693.83
Items in transit	3,882.88
Other Assets—Revenue Stamps	128.00
TOTAL	\$1,447,335.62

I, Theo. G. Harris, cashier of the above named, The American Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THEO. G. HARRIS.

Correct—attest: M. Hofeller, H. L. Solomon, Geo. Feltz, Directors.

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF ALLEN. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February, 1921.

WARREN P. MEILY, Notary Public.

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NEWS FROM NEAR BY TOWNS

BLUFFTON

By MISS ZORA YERGER

In Haze Haupt, president of the Evangelical Association of America, will deliver the next address at the college Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

A son, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Coombs are spending a few days in Richmond, O.

Henry Showalter, who has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Showalter and family of Van Wert, has returned home.

Mrs. Ida Kester spent Monday night in Van Wert with her mother, Mrs. Harriet McMillen who is in failing health.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shelye of Findlay and Viola Curtis and Russell Evans of Middle Point, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morehead, of Leesburg, Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Bucholtz was a guest of friends in Van Wert Tuesday.

Willis Wolfe of Dunkirk spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfe.

Harry Armstrong and Miss Mae Myres were married by Rev. Chiles Wednesday.

VAUGHNSVILLE

By MRS. DAVID REESE

R. T. Evans went to Lima to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. N. C. Swanger and husband.

Miss Lucile McKinley of Tontogany was the guest of relatives in Vaughnsville Sunday.

Jubilee meeting will be held at the M. E. church Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

A special program is arranged for the occasion. Mrs. George McClure of Findlay will give an address.

Mrs. Evans of Pennsylvania, is spending several weeks with her father, Thomas Fouks, Sr., who has been very sick.

Rader's Sunday school class was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heidlebaugh Wednesday evening.

Quite a number from this vicinity

were Lima shoppers "Dollar Day."

The Social Circle will meet at 3r.

and Mrs. D. L. Williams' Friday evening.

Hope, Collar, Mary Williams, Belle Rose, Mabel Edwards and Miss Anna Reese.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Harry Reese's March 8.

The Ottoville city basketball team

played the M. E. basketball team at the gym Tuesday evening. Score 50 to 3 in favor of the home team.

The Literary Club will meet at Mrs. Wm. Heidlebaugh's Monday evening, Feb. 28.

VAN WERT

By MISS MARGARET FISHER

A delightful series of bridge-luncheons were given Wednesday and Friday afternoons at the home of Mrs. C. A. L. Purmort, Mrs. F. W. Purmort, Mrs. G. A. Berger and Miss Ellen Purmort.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson were pleasantly surprised Monday evening by forty-five men and neighbors who met at their home for a farewell party before they take up their new home east of town.

Forty-five relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Williams in honor of Mr. Williams' forty-eighth birthday, Monday.

Members of the 1920 Embroidery club held a pot luck supper Wednesday night at the Home Telephone building. The latter part of the evening was spent in dancing.

Over 300 persons were in attendance at the WPA birthday celebration held by the Elks Lodge Tuesday evening. Following a parade thru the business section the members

repaired to the lodge rooms where the trad-

sional Elk was served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn have left for their home in Bryan after being here to attend the funeral of the late Garner Cross.

High school girls who are taking or have taken French have organized a French club, with the following officers: President, Helen Weaver; Vice-president, Alice Bonnawitz; secretary, Virginia Campbell.

Van Wert Masonic Lodge had a social evening at the K. of P. hall Wednesday evening. Following a program of talks and music dancing and cards occupied the greater part of the night's pleasure. Music was furnished by the Franklin orchestra of Ft. Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Humphreys and daughter, Maxine, and Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Church have returned after several days visit with the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Christie of Cincinnati.

CRIDERSVILLE

By FRED REICHELDERFER

The West End Aristocrat Club enjoyed their monthly meeting at the home of Miss June Virginia Arthur Monday evening. The evening was spent playing cards and dancing, after which a two-course lunch was served.

Miss Helen Fix and Miss Helen Steplton spent the weekend with Miss Kathryn Gausbauch of Oxford, who is attending school at that place.

Margaret Burke is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. George Shafer, of Lima.

Miss Mable Williams of Shawnee and Frank Leidner of Lima entertained Sunday by Miss Ruth Stoll of this place.

Flossie and Muriel Conner, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark DeLong, Sunday.

Leslie Church and family spent Sunday with Mr. Church's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Church.

Mr. Elsie Scott of Cleveland spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. John Moyer.

Mrs. E. S. Harshman spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Yant, of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baumgardner of Lima were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Baumgardner, Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church and U. B. church held a dinner at the city hall Thursday to accommodate the people who were at the community auction sale.

D. L. Smith of Quincey, Ohio, spent Friday with friends at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moyer and Mrs. Virgil Butchman and Edith Moyer of Lima.

A dinner party for Mrs. Lauretta Mahan was given at her home Saturday. The out-of-town guests were: Just Mahan of Independence, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. John Mahan, Clara Letford, Max Colt of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Cider was a Lima business visitor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman McDougle and children, Dorrel and Darrel, Mrs. Catherine McDougle and Mr. and Mrs. Minor McDonald, of Unionville, O.

The birthday party of Wilbur Pavlett was held at his home Saturday night, it being his 14th birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Snider entertained Robert Porter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Franklin, Marion Franklin and Opal Snider, Tuesday.

WAPAKONETA

By EARL J. FISHER

Organization of the woman's auxiliary to the American Legion took

place Sunday at the home of Mrs. Wm. DeLong.

Miss Goldie DeLong spent the weekend in Cleveland.

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place here last Wednesday night and the following were elected officers: Mr. G. Hunter, vice-president; Mrs. E. G. Hunter, treasurer; Mrs. Carl Abele, treasurer; Mrs. C. L. House, chairman of the executive committee; Mrs. Anna Kridler, inner guard and Mrs. May Budde, outer guard.

The deaf mutes of this city and surrounding places gathered last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Geetz to celebrate the latter's birthday. Those from Lima who were present were: Mrs. and Mrs. John

Miss Margaret Oliver, Miss Dorothy Clifford, Miss Alice Pierpont, Miss Dorothy Phillips, Mrs. Madison Van Meier, Mrs. M. D. Long and Mrs. Win Lafferty attended the Music club at Lima last Thursday afternoon.

the Profit and Pleasure club Friday afternoon.

Cris and Geo. Kempf of Crestline, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Verhaft, the Kelmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McBride entertained a number of young people Tuesday evening for their daughter, Bella, who will leave for Cleveland next Tuesday to enter the hospital for nurse training.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kephart and daughters, spent Sunday in Spencerville with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ely.

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Miss Sylvia Soles was the guest over the weekend of relatives in Bluffton.

Misses Catherine and Anna Range were pleasantly surprised Friday evening when a number of their friends called at their home for an evening of games, music and social time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reed of Detroit were guests Sunday of Mrs. Jean Roby.

ALGER

By MISS GLADYS SHACKELFORD

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Long, heavy, 10 ft. silver gray scarf, Friday evening on W. High from Main to Washington. Phone High 2349. Reward.

LOST—Bottom part of gold pen held between Lima Cord Sales and Hotel Co., N. Elizabeth St., Main and High Streets. Under phone call Main 1125. Reward.

LOST—Brown leather folder containing \$11 in bills. Finder phone Lake 1441. Reward.

LOST—Picay who took package containing brown shoes by mistake at Michaels Store, Dealer Day call 1029. Reward.

LOST—Lodge key No. 48 between Main and Market on Highwood. Call Lake 5341. Reward.

HELP WANTED (General)

LIMA EMPLOYMENT OFFICE
129½ W. HIGH ST. PHONE MAIN 1962

WANTED AT ONCE

I farm hand, 2 housekeepers, 1 waiters, 3 women for general housework, 1 second cook; also several other jobs open.

PERMANENT—S. GOVERNMENT POSITION—Secretary, stenographer, typewriter, etc., to 1250 months. Various pay, 100 plus. Second job taken off, money or expense work. Complete education, etc., necessary. Write to me, Box 1133, Decatur, Ill.

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FOR MEN AND WOMEN
You can earn \$10.00 a week and more by taking subscriptions during spare time for the newspaper group of Magazines. Openings for a few responsible men and women in Lima. Only furnish tree. For particulars write Desk No. 1, Agency Bureau, International Magazine Co., 110 W. 19th St., New York City.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

girl or middle aged woman for housework. No washing. Good wages. 709 N. Elizabeth.

WANTED—Housekeeper by widow with 2 children, 1208 E. Market. Phone Rice 5222.

Experienced stenographer and bookkeeper wants position. Can furnish letter of reference. Address Box 415, care of Lima News.

GIRLS AND WOMEN WANTED
To know I do dressmaking and ladies' tailoring and help you sew for yourself. Don't worry over that troublesome garment. Do cutting and fitting.

MISS ELIZABETH ROSS
Room 3, Over Eleventh's Clothing
Store—Elevator Service
Phone Main 6071 West Market St.

WANTED—Defined young girl willing to work for room and board and pay private family; good home. Can be school girl. Write D. A. care of News.

**MILLINERY
TRIMMER**

Steady position with good salary to a capable woman.

BOSTON STORE

WANTED—Housekeeper for middle aged man. Call Main 6805.

WANTED—Girl over 18 to help with housework. High 4215, 309 N. Collett.

WANTED—Reliable lady to sell our Guaranteed Past Color Quality House-dresses. Price, \$10. References required. Dumville & Co., Lockport, N. Y.

SALESLADIES

for our Ready-to-Wear department. Steady positions with good salary.

BOSTON STORE

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED

3 girls to work in candy store, experience not necessary, must be over 20 years old. Apply at once.

PALACE CONFECTIONERY

208 NORTH MAIN STREET
PHONE MAIN 6015

WANTED—Experienced waitress, apply in person. Louisa's Tea Room, 208 W. Market.

An exceptional opening, those desirous please handle, seeking at home. No commission, etc. Apply. No experience required. All points clearly mentioned. Great Work. Call 1000. Ad. Park, New York.

WANTED—Woman to assist, incalled. Inquire 755 N. Franklin.

WANTED—For general service, woman to wash, etc. Apply 755 N. Franklin.

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WANTED—At once, stenographer. Apply at once. Swift & Co., Produce Dept.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—To qualify for Firemen's Brakeman, experience unnecessary. Transportation furnished. Write A. Steele, Supt., St. Louis.

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WANTED—Labourers and carpenters.

Lima Stone Co., E. Northwest and bridge.

WANTED

3 boys over 20 years of age to work at soda fountain, must be experienced. Apply at once.

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208 NORTH MAIN STREET
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WANTED—Trav. muck secret investigator, reports. Salaries, expenses. American Foreign Detective Agency, 310 S. Louis.

WANTED—\$100 weekly; travel over world; experience unnecessary. American Detective Agency, 767 High St., Akron.

WANTED—Big pay; easy work great demand everywhere; we pay you all. Write WAGNER, 156 E. 23rd St., New York.

WANTED—Men's home work; experience unnecessary; everything required. Send self-addressed envelope for free particular. Tom's Contractors Co., Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

MAN TO WORK THIS CITY Refinishing furniture, houses, boats, automobiles, etc. Write \$10 daily, 10% deposit of experience. Write General Contracting Co., 113 Elm, Decatur, Ill.

WANTED—Help wanted—beginners, 2150 Elm, later 2200. Write Railway Care of News Times-Democrat.

WANTED—Help wanted in every town for succeeding \$200.00 per month, excepting territory; automobile truck to deliver. Speedoline Co., Dept. 190, Dallas, Texas.

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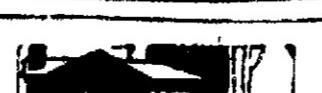
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Lima real estate brokers remain agreed that there will be even more than the usual amount of building operations this spring. They point to the fact that there has been a great deal of business property to drop in either business property or vacant lots, despite the fact that it is little or no buying in other business property is too high," said one of the best posted men on rentals in the city. "I can take two blocks in the business district and rent every location at 25 per cent higher than present exists--leases now call for the bigger stores seeking to rent here. They want in the heart of things or not at all and just now not at all."

The same authority predicts rapid development during the next two years of Elizabeth-st between Spring and Wayne and High-st west of Elizabeth to the high school building. Regarding residence property under authority on this class of property says:

RENTS STABILIZED

Rents are virtual, stabilized at present prices, yet Lima needs 200 properties ranging from small dwellings at \$3,500, to better places at \$10,000, and slightly higher. There are perhaps 15 or 20 medium properties now building, no doubt that more in prospect. There is very little individual building of owners of vacant lots, fewer at any time in Lima's history, last year saw little of this, as it requires capital far in excess of actual ownership of the lot. Building loans are very strict, basing the loan maximum on their ap- plicants and not upon what the latter intends spending. While materials have dropped, notably others, are stationary and are even asking higher wages. Lumber and brick have declined a little and the building trades especially from excavation to finishing show only a slight decline when total the estimates. For this reason, the individual will do very little in the way of residences, and work must be carried out by contractors with sufficient capital to act the enterprise until the new properties are sold.

Lima has a housing problem to solve. This has been brought out in recent meetings of the Lima Real Estate Board. Every realtor re- ports being deluged with calls for houses ranging from \$5,000 to \$6,000. There is a noticeable scarcity of properties of this kind, they say. We and me to remedy this situation are being discussed. The plan of building construction has taken up and has resulted in appointment of a committee to reduce the cost of building materials in Lima as compared with other cities.

It is expected that relief will be obtained when the new initiatives of Pittsburgh financing company comes to Lima the week of March 2, negotiate with local business interests. It is said that this company will furnish funds to build the required number of homes here if it gets the right kind of co-operation in our business interests here. But an error in last week's report was made to a Pittsburgh financing company when it should have been a Pittsburgh financing company.

The realtors are taking an optimistic view of the situation and feel that co-operation of the citizens of Lima and business men will insure speedy relief from a housing shortage. The real estate men displayed much pep and enthusiasm at the meeting. Thursday, much of whom was tillified into Jim Peacock, in charge of the meeting.

Lima Sheet Metals new stock was the only active local issue during the week, and any unsold portions was withdrawn yesterday. There was no deals reported in bank stocks and offers known to be out.

The annual statement of Buckeye Pipe shows a book value of \$99,011 a share; Union Tank car \$199,77 a share; and Indiana Pipe Line, \$80,391 a share. All of these subsidiaries look to be a good buy.

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BANK STOCKS

First National Bank

Lima Trust Co.

Old National Bank

Baltimore & Ohio

Ohio Life Ins. Co.

Buckeye Pipe Line

Chalmers Pipe Pfd.

Crystal Ice & Coal Co.

Domestic Discount Co.

First Motor Co.

Gulf Motor Com.

Gulf Oil Corp.

Glenmore Oil

Lima Foundry Com.

Lima Locomotive Com.

Lima News

Lima Realty Mortgage Co.

Lima Telephone Co. Com.

Lima Telephone Co. Pfd.

Lima Water Com.

Ohio Oil Co.

Pennsylvania

Solar Refining

Union Tank Line

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MATERIALS

Alum. Corp.

Am. Linseed

Am. Smelt.

Am. Steel Edg.

Am. Sun. Oil

Am. T. & T.

Am. Woolen

Am. Zinc

Am. Cop.

Am. Zinc

